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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Telegrams received by the Chinese minister in Washington report all the ministers at Pekin safe on the 20th; insurgents were fighting each other. —— Report that the Southern railway had bought a controlling interest in the S. A. L. is denied. —— Dispatch from Cape Town reports a battle between the Boers and British in progress at Middleburg. —— The Emperor of China asks the mediation of France with the Powers. —— Admiral Remey reports that the allied forces in China will not move for the relief of the legations at Pekin before the middle of August. —— Election in Cuba November 15th next. —— China and Russia are openly at war, Chinese assuming the offensive. —— New York markets: Money on call was nominal; cotton—quiet; middling uplands 10c; flour steady; wheat—spot steady; No. 2 red 85c; corn—spot steady, No. 2 46⅝c; oats—spot dull, No. 2 28c; rosin quiet; spirits turpentine easy.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., July 21

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 81 degrees; 8 P. M., 84 degrees; maximum, 96 degrees; minimum, 81 degrees; mean, 89 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 0; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .28.

Stage of water at 8 A. M. at Fayetteville 1.3 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—For North Carolina: Local rains and cooler in eastern, fair in western portion Sunday. Monday fair; light to fresh southerly, shifting to northwesterly winds.

Port Almanac—July 22.

Sun Rises	4.59 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.12 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 24 M.
High Water at Southport.	4.45 P. M.
High Water, Wilmington.	7.15 P. M.

Gen. Wheeler has written the President tendering his services to fight the Chinese. It is hard to keep Joe out of a scrimmage when there is one in sight.

It is reported that the Sultan of Sulu is talking about striking for a higher salary, and is threatening not to permit our soldiers to drill on his ground if the raise isn't made.

Richard Croker says 80 per cent. of the people of this country are governed by 20 per cent. Mr. Croker is rather above the mark than below in his 20 per cent. estimate.

If one-half of what is told about the barbarious cruelty of the Chinese Boxers to the foreigners who fall into their hands be true, the best thing to do would be to fill the country with dynamite and blow it up.

A chunk of Klondike gold, for a bank in Montreal, has just arrived at New York. It weighs 7,892 ounces, the result of sixty-two days' washings, and is worth $135,000. It goes to the Philadelphia mint to be coined into gold eagles.

The Augusta, Ga., *Chronicle* quotes "a Southern imperialist" as saying: "I am in favor of this country taking what it can and keeping what it grabs." That is the principle on which the pirate and the highwayman act. They grab all they can and hold on to it.

Some people seem to have a great affinity for lead. Corporal Mabry, who in one of the fights in South Africa got a bullet in each arm, two in his head, one in one of his thumbs, and another in his leg, has succeeded in getting them all out and is at the front again.

A human body was recently dug out of a peat bog in Schleswig, which is supposed to have been buried there 1,500 years. It was well preserved, had red hair, and was clothed in coarse woollen garments, with sandals on the feet. As there were no relatives to claim it it was turned over to the Kiel museum.

Mr. McKinley does not think it would comport with the proprieties while he is holding the office of President to go around making speeches, so he will make his from that Canton porch. Mr. Roosevelt, however, is not standing on dignity and turns his office of Governor of New York loose while he takes the stump and whoops it up for the "chocolate" man and Teddy.

Jerry Simpson, of Kansas, is one of the Populist patriots who made it pay. It is said that he didn't have a dollar when elected to Congress, that he had to borrow money to pay for a ticket to Washington, but that he saved his money after he got there, invested it in land and cattle and is now worth $40,000. Thrifty Jerry. There is something more than mouth in him.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The steamer *Driver* will remain in port until Monday.

— The New York steamer passed out at Southport at 9 A. M. yesterday.

— An excursion from Clinton is scheduled to arrive Monday morning.

— Mr. Paul M. Taylor will conduct the afternoon service at the Y. M. C. A. to-day.

— Receipts of cotton yesterday were 1,131 bales, which came in one lot over the W., C. & A. railroad.

— The drought in this and other sections of the State is becoming current comment. Crops are said to be suffering badly.

— Campbell Encampment will meet Monday night in special session to confer the second and third degrees upon ten candidates.

— Mary McI. Harriss registered papers at the Court House yesterday transferring to W. M. Cumming and wife a tract of land 66x330 feet, at the corner of Fourth and Wright streets; price $150.

— The Dickinson house and lot, on the corner of Front and Chesnut streets, also all of block 290 and lots 7 and 8 and part of lots 5 and 6 in block 303, are offered for sale as a whole or in part by Junius Davis and Platt D. Walker, Esqrs., trustees.

— Special musical programmes participated in by Mr. J. E. Dunbar, Miss Lucile Newell and Mr. Clarence Bagg have been arranged for the two services at Grace church to day. Mr. Dunbar and Miss Newell will, however, sing at the First Baptist church at the evening service.

— The handsome new building for use of the Brooklyn Baptist church congregation at corner of Fourth and Brunswick streets is rapidly nearing completion. The usual services and Sunday school will be held in the lecture room of the new building to day—Sunday school at 4 P. M.; other services as usual.

— This morning while responding to the alarm from box 25, Chemical Engine No. 1 ran into an obstruction at Second and Grace streets, caused by one of the reins becoming unfastened. Both horses were thrown to the ground and Chief Schnibben and several of the men were precipitated to the streets.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

W. B. Cooper—Candy.
A. Shrier—Straw hats.
M. H. Curran—Now's the time.
S. & B. Solomon.—Babies' shoes.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Good morning.
For Sale—Dickinson house and lot.
N. F. Parker—Discount of 20 per ct.
Geo. O. Gaylord's Branch Store—What Dick said to Abraham.
New Savings Bank—The Guardian Security, Trust and Deposit Co.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Lost—Pocketbook.
P. H. Hayden—Buggies.
C. A. Holland—Rooms to rent.
Family Excursion to Southport.

Lumber Notes.

Mr. Z. W. Whitehead, secretary of the South Atlantic Lumber Association, yesterday received a telegram in response to an inquiry, stating that at a recent special session at Cordele, Ga., the Georgia Saw Mill Association decided to endorse the action of and enter into the agreement with the South Atlantic people with regard to the curtailment of the lumber output one-half.

Messrs. Whitehead and J. A. Arringdale, of this city, returned yesterday from Georgetown, S. C., where they attended the annual meeting of the Atlantic Coast Cypress Association. Business before the association was principally routine and of a private nature. There was nothing for publication.

Excursion to Sea.

Indications are that with favorable weather to day a large crowd will take the trip to Southport, Fort Caswell and out to sea on the handsome steamer *Compton*, which has been put in thorough "excursion trim" by her recent purchasers. It will afford an excellent opportunity for friends of the Boys' Brigade to spend the day with the "soldiers" in camp at Southport and besides those, desiring to do so can visit Caswell or continue their trip to sea. The boat leaves her wharf between Market and Dock streets at 10.30 A. M. and will return to the city at 7 P. M. Fare for the round trip is only 50 cents.

Elected to Texas Parish.

Rev. M. A. Barber, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, has received notice of his unanimous election to the rectorship of St. Mark's parish, San Marcos, Texas. Rev. Mr. Barber has neither accepted nor declined the election as yet, and the numerous friends of himself and family here hope that he may see his way clear to remain here.

The O. A. N. Society.

There will be an important special meeting of the O. A. N. at St. James' Parish House Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

Visit Capital City or Baltimore and return for $6.00; to Norfolk $3.00, on Pipkin's popular excursion. Leaves Front street depot 8.30 Tuesday morning. For white people only. †

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AYCOCK YESTERDAY.

Thousands of People Heard Him at Whiteville, in Columbus County.

ARRIVED HERE LAST NIGHT.

Unprecedented Campaigning During the Past Week—A Thousand Red Shirts Rode in Procession—Patterson Accompanies the Governor.

In no section of the State has Hon. Charles B. Aycock been more warmly welcomed or received by larger crowds than in the east. At Lumberton Thursday; at Elizabethtown Friday, and at Whiteville yesterday the demonstrations were unprecedented and full of augury for a great victory in August. Through it all Mr. Aycock has proved himself the wonderful man that he is. A part of the time travelling through the country long distances in private conveyances with a burning sun over him and speaking to throngs of people in the open air, it is a wonder how his physical endurance was equal to the task. It is no wonder that last night at 9:30 when he reached the city on a dusty freight train that he expressed a desire to rest and a pleasure at being able to spend a Sunday by the sea. Mr. Aycock is accompanied to Wilmington by Mr. Samuel L. Patterson, Democratic nominee for Commissioner of Agriculture, who also spoke at Whiteville yesterday. They were met upon the arrival of the train last night at Sixth street bridge by Iredell Meares, Esq., who accompanied them to the Front street station where a carriage in waiting took them to Mr. Meares' residence where they were entertained last night.

The speaking and rally at Whiteville yesterday is said to have been fully the equal of the Lumberton demonstration on Thursday, which eclipsed all former campaign meetings in the State since the days of the immortal Vance. Mr. Aycock and Mr. Patterson were driven over in a carriage from Clarkton whence they came from Elizabethtown on Friday. They reached Whiteville about 11 o'clock and were met about a mile from the town by the Second Regiment Band, of Wilmington, the Cornet Band, of Chadbourn, and a mounted procession of red shirts conservatively estimated at from 900 to 1,200. It was a triumphant entry into the quiet little town and the approach of the State's Chieftain was heralded by a volley of ten guns from one of the big brass Howitzers of the Wilmington Division Naval Reserves, which was carried up by a detachment from the division in charge of S. A. Matthews yesterday morning on the early freght.

The speaking took place in the large oak grove in front of the Court House and it is said 5,000 people, including many ladies, were present. Mr. Patterson spoke first. He was introduced by Hon. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, and while his speech was short it was full of encouragement. Mr. Aycock was introduced by Mr. D. S. Cowan, of Brinkley, in a pretty speech befitting the occasion. Mr. Aycock spoke for about an hour, and his address to the yeomanry of Columbus was indeed sublime. He spoke confidently of success in the campaign, and recited reasons which led up to this great uprising of Anglo-Saxons for the freedom of the race from political and social thraldom.

Mr. Brown, nominee for the State Senate for the district comprising Columbus and Robeson counties, spoke last. He counselled conservatism and expressed pleasure at the opportunity his people were enjoying of seeing and hearing "Our Next Governor."

Notes Of The Meeting.

Just as Mr. Aycock concluded his splendid speech another volley of ten guns was fired from the cannon. The Naval Reserves and Second Regiment Band were received cordially by the Columbus people and it is unnecessary to state they contributed much to the success of the occasion. They returned last night on the freight train with the delighted speakers.

About 250 Red Shirts from Clarkton accompanied Mr. Aycock to Whiteville. Equally as large a number came from Chadbourn.

Mr. Aycock's next appointments are at Kenansville Thursday, July 26th; Burgaw, Friday, 27th; Clinton, Saturday, 28th; Richlands, Wednesday, August, 1st.

Special Music To-night.

The following programme of special music will be rendered at the First Baptist church to night:

Anthem—By choir.
Anthem, with Alto Solo—By Miss Lucile Newell, assisted by choir.
Solo, "Holy City"—By Mr. J. E. Dunbar, (by request.)

On to Washington City.

Remember day and date Tuesday, July 24 1900, train will leave Wilmington, N. C., A. C. L. Depot, at 8.30 A. M. sharp. All those intend going can secure state rooms by writing either Mr. C. W. Polvogt, Wilmington, N. C., or R. E. Pikin, Goldsboro, N. C. We want every body to secure state rooms at least one week before July 25, 1900.

R. E. PIPKIN, Manager.

Goldsboro, N. C. †

Hatch Brothers' Grand Excursion from Wilmington to Norfolk, Washington and Baltimore for white people only on Tuesday August 21st. Orders for state rooms on steamer may be placed either with Hatch Bros., Mount Olive, or H. J. Gerken, Wilmington. Fare from Wilmington and points south of Mount Olive, to Norfolk and return $2.75; to Washington and Baltimore, $5.50. Train leaves Wilmington 8:30 A. M. †

ON THE DIAMOND.

Games Played Yesterday by Teams of the North Carolina Base Ball Association—The Official Score.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Wilmington, 5; Tarboro, 6.
Durham, 9; Raleigh, 0.
Charlotte, 4; Statesville, 2.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-MORROW.

Tarboro at Wilmington.
Charlotte at Durham.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
Tarboro	13	6	.684
Charlotte	9	7	.562
Durham	10	8	.555
Raleigh	8	11	.421
Wilmington	6	9	.400
Statesville	4	9	.307

[*Special Star Telegrams.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., July 21.—In the Raleigh-Durham ball game at Durham to day, Raleigh protested against a decision of the umpire in the sixth inning and declined to continue the game unless a new umpire was called in. Durham declined to allow this and the Raleigh team withdrew from the diamond, Umpire Carr declaring it Durham's game by forfeit. The score was:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	—R	H	E
Durham	3	2	0	0	0	1	—5	5	2
Raleigh	3	0	1	0	0	0	—3	5	1

Batteries: Burns and LeGrand; Quick and Manners. Umpire, Carr. Attendance 300.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 21.—In a very close and exciting game to day Charlotte defeated Statesville by a score of 4 to 2. Latimer struck out twelve men. Winham, for Statesville, also pitched great ball. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Charlotte	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	x	—4	5	3
Statesville	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—2	5	4

Batteries—Latimer and Oldham: Winham and Sherman.

FIRE THIS MORNING.

Two Story Residence on Walnut Street Partially Destroyed—Several Narrow Escapes.

The two-story frame residence, No. 109 Walnut street, owned by Mr. L. Hansen and occupied by Mr. F. L. Manley, was partially destroyed by fire this morning at 1 o'clock, the total damage to the house and furniture being about $1,000, partially covered by insurance. Two other residences adjoining, No. 107, owned and occupied by Mr. H. G. Smallbones, and No. 111, owned by Peterson & Rulfs and occupied by Mr. Geo. E. Leftwitch, were also slightly damaged by fire.

The fire originated in the kitchen and took a rapid flight up the stairs leading from near the kitchen door. It was well advanced when cries from inmates of the house attracted the attention of Mr. Geo. W. Brunson, who hastened back to Front and Grace streets and turned in an alarm from box 25. When the department reached the scene the house was almost entirely enveloped in flames and the firemen deserve much praise for saving the building at all, to say nothing of the two residences in close proximity.

Mr. P. R. Allbright and a Mr. Williamson, an A. C. L., machinist, who were boarding at the house, barely escaped from the second floor. Mr. Williamson lost all his personal effects, saving only a shoe. He was also slightly burned about the face in escaping.

Miss Myer McMannen, of Durham, who was visiting the family, also had a narrow escape.

Died at Southport.

Mr. William Drew, father of Mrs. Alice Thees and an uncle of Mr. Samuel S. Drew, of this city, died at his home at Southport Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock, at an advanced age. Mrs. Thees and Miss Carrie Drew, a granddaughter of the deceased, who who has been visiting friends in the city, left yesterday morning on the steamer *Wilmington* to attend the funeral. Other children of the deceased, besides Mrs. Thees, are Messrs. James and Alfred Drew, and Mrs. B. D. Wescott, of Southport, and Mrs. Sophia Wiley, of Birmingham, Ala.

Funeral Yesterday Afternoon.

Mrs. Caroline Cumber, wife of Mr. G. F. Cumber, died Friday night of hemorrhagic fever. The funeral was held at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the residence on Wooster between Ninth and Tenth streets, Rev. J. W. S. Harvey officiating. The deceased is survived by her husband and seven children among whom are Messrs. Ambie, Spervie and Frank Cumber.

Mr. Fallon Left.

Mr. W. H. Fallon and wife left yesterday morning via the A. C. L., for Grand Haven, Michigan, where he will succeed Mr. G. W. Felger in charge of the Weather Bureau station there. Mr. Felger, as already stated, has assumed charge of the Wilmington station, succeeding Mr. Fallon, who requested a change for the reason that he believed a change in climate would result in a benefit to his health.

Meeting Monday Night.

Every voter in the First Ward is earnestly requested to be present at the meeting of the White Supremacy Club in Hibernian Hall to-morrow night. Members of White Supremacy clubs of other wards are also asked to be present, as the meeting will be both entertaining and instructive.

To Norfolk $3.00; Washington or Baltimore $6.00 and return. Pipkin's excursion leaves Tuesday morning 8.30, rain or shine. Cool weather promised. †

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hall are visiting relatives in Charleston.

— Mr. F. M. Moore, of Phœnix, Brunswick county, was in the city yesterday.

— Miss Annie McL. Taylor left yesterday morning for a visit to friends at Durham.

— Mr. B. B. Humphrey, a prominent New Hanover truck farmer, spent yesterday in the city.

— Mr. W. J. Beaman, of Clinton, and Mr. J. D. Mallard, of Wallace, came down to the city last evening.

— Capt. George L. Morton left yesterday afternoon by private conveyance to begin his canvass in Brunswick county.

— Prof. J. C. Horner, of Horner's School, arrived yesterday and will spend a short time here in the interest of that institution.

— Mr. Edward T. Gregory, a popular young travelling salesman, of Richmond, Va., is spending a few days in the city with friends.

— Mr. Winston Rogers, assistant superintendent of the Oxford Orphan Asylum, is the guest for a few days of Mr. S. W. Sanders, on Carolina Beach.

— Mrs. Herbert McClammy and little daughter, Miriam Leach, left yesterday morning for Mount Airy to spend a part of the Summer at Blue Ridge Inn.

— Messrs. N. L. Harrell, C. W. Hewitt and T. E. Sligh, of Darlington, S. C., and Mr. B. H. Rucker, of Florence, were registered at The Orton yesterday.

— Miss Hattie Ray, of Raleigh, who has been spending some time in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. T. Burke, left yesterday afternoon, returning home.

— Among those who came yesterday to spend Sunday at the seashore were Mr. D. D. McColl, Mr. F. L. Rogers and Mrs. H. W. Carroll, of Bennettsville, S. C.

— Dr. J. D. Webster and Mr. T. G. Landin have returned from the District Conference at Bethlehem Church. The other delegates for the most part will return Monday.

— Rev. Milton A. Barber, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, accompanied by his family, will leave Tuesday to spend a vacation at Fletcher, a delightful Summer resort near Asheville.

— Rev. J. N. Cole returned yesterday from Bladen county where he attended the district meeting of the Wilmington District. He will fill the pulpit of Grace Methodist church this morning and evening.

— Capt. A. E. Wingfield, of the brig *M. C. Haskell*, who has been detained here for some time at the hospital on account of sickness with pneumonia, left on the New York steamer yesterday for his home at Rockland, Me.

— Col. Jno. D. Taylor returned from Richmond yesterday morning, where he was called on account of the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Tennent. She was much improved when Col. Taylor left.

SEASHORE HOTEL DANCE.

Many Couples Participated—Children Give Cake Walk in the Lobby.

The week's festivities at Wrightsville Beach were brought to a close last night by the usual week-end dance at the Seashore Hotel. An unusually large number of dancers participated and it was pronounced by all to have been one of the most enjoyable dances of the season.

The menu served at supper was exceptionally fine and Mr. Hinton merits the high praise accorded him on every side for the excellent service he is giving. During supper, the children of the hotel gave a cake walk in the lobby which was much admired by many spectators.

A special train was run over the Seacoast Railroad last night to accommodate a large number of people who missed the 7.15 train on account of the base ball game.

District Conference Elect Delegates.

The Wilmington District Conference which convened last week in Bethlehem church, Bladen county, was a success in every way and was largely attended. The following delegates were elected to the Annual Conference of the Methodist Church which will convene in Newbern in December: Messrs. A. McA. Council, Bladen; A. J. Johnson, Magnolia; W. B. Cooper, Wilmington and David Ward.

Death of a Child.

The three-and-a half-months old son of Capt. and Mrs. P. T. Flowers, of Florence, died yesterday morning of bilious fever at the residence of Mr. W. C. VonGlahn, No. 516 North Third street. The remains were carried to Florence yesterday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock on the W. C. & A. train. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of many friends.

— Election on Constitutional Amendment, for State and County officers, and for members of the Legislature. Thursday, August 2d.

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EXCITING CONTEST.

Wilmington Lost to Tarboro in the Prettiest Game of the Season.

A VERY LARGE ATTENDANCE.

Home Team Excelled in Fielding and Batting, But Lost Several Chances to Win Through Stupid Base Running—Game To-morrow.

The most exciting game of base ball of the season was played at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon. Wilmington's "hoodoo" came to life again and Tarboro had the great pleasure of taking the second game of the series by the close score of 6 to 5. The game was a magnificent exhibition of ball and anybody who was not pleased with it could not be satisfied with the title to a potato patch in the moon.

The sun shone down from a cloudless sky and the small boy on the bleachers was baking like a turtle egg on a hot pavement. The betting was in favor of the home team, and up to the sixth inning it looked as if the "Sailors" would be the winners, but the local stock took a tumble in that inning and the thermometer rose when the visitors sent two men across the plate. The game up to the sixth inning stood 2 to 1 in favor of Wilmington. Tarboro got one run in the fourth, two in the sixth, one in the seventh and two more in the eighth. Wilmington got one run each in the first, fourth and seventh and two in the eighth.

It was anybody's game until the last man was out. Wilmington had several chances to win, but lost through stupid base running. Her defeat may be directly attributed to that one thing. The home team outbatted and out-fielded the visitors, but they put up a miserable spectacle of base running. The excitement and suspense at times were painful. It was shared alike by the ladies on the grand stand and the "fans" on the bleachers.

In the last half of the ninth, with the score standing 6 to 5 against them, Wilmington took a bracer and it looked for a few minutes as if the tide would turn. "Red" Gilligan came up and was presented to a base on balls. Capt. Wills followed with a stiff shot to the pitcher, who brushed off the whiskers and threw it to second and forced out "our Reddie," who resembled a flying ball of fire. Later Rea seized the willow as if to paralyze the ball, but he failed to connect with it and went out on strikes. With two hands down and one man on base, the mighty "Cap" Collier, the home run fiend, comes up, and sends the sphere into center garden for one bag. Foster hit a hot grounder to Crane, but as for the hopes and dollars of many fans, goes out at first and the game was ended.

The features of the game were McBride's phenomenal stop with one hand, in the sixth, of a hot grounder, and the home runs of Collier, Foster, Detmers and Thomas. Gilligan played a fine game at short.

The Official Score.

TARBORO.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Bacon, 2b	5	0	1	3	0	3
Johnson, cf	5	0	0	3	1	0
Radcliff, c	4	0	1	5	1	0
Detmers, 1b	4	2	1	12	0	1
Townsend, rf	4	1	1	0	1	1
Voorhees, lf	4	1	2	1	0	1
Thomas, ss	4	1	1	1	3	1
Williams, p	4	0	1	0	8	0
Crane, 3b	4	1	1	2	6	0
Total	38	6	9	27	20	7

WILMINGTON.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Gilligan, ss	5	1	1	4	4	0
Wills, 1b	5	0	1	13	0	0
Rea, lf	5	1	2	1	1	0
Collier, cf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Foster, rf and c	5	1	1	0	0	0
Allen, p	4	0	1	1	7	1
Stearns, 3b	4	0	1	3	1	1
McBride, 2b	4	1	1	2	2	0
*Gwaltney, c	4	0	1	2	1	0
Total	41	5	11	27	16	2

*Summersgill batted for Gwaltney in the eighth inning.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tarboro	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	2	0—6
Wilmington	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0—5

Summary—Stolen base, Crane. Double plays, Williams to Bacon to Detmers; Gilligan to Stearns to Wills. Struck out, Williams 5, by Allen 2. Bases on balls, off Williams 4, off Allen 2. Hit by pitched ball, Townsend, Stearns. Wild pitch, Allen 1. Two base hits, Townsend, Gilligan. Home runs, Detmers, Thomas, Foster and Collier. Time of game, two hours and five minutes.

Umpire, Mr. A. W. Belden.
Scorer, W. W. Vick.
Attendance 300.

The Game To-morrow.

The same teams will try conclusions at Hilton to-morrow afternoon. Each has won a game and a lively race will be made for the third. The game promises to be one of the most exciting of the season and will no doubt be witnessed by a very large crowd. "Play ball" will be called at 4:30 o'clock.

Grand Excursion for White People Only

From Wilmington to Norfolk, Washington and Baltimore Tuesday, Aug. 21, 1900. Fare to Norfolk and return, $2.75; fare to Washington, Baltimore and return, $5.50. All baggage not too excessive transported free of charge. Remember the date and price. For further information, also the securing of state rooms, inquire of H. J. Gerken, 10 North Front street.

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H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
F. W. DICK, Cashier.

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THE REGISTRATION CLOSED.

New Hanover is Now Certain of 3,000 Majority for the Amendment—The Leaders Well Pleased.

Registration closed last night at sunset and thanks to the earnest and well directed efforts of white men in every ward and township in the county yesterday, there was a very full registration, and it is now absolutely certain that New Hanover will roll up 3,000 majority and more for the Amendment and State and county tickets on the first Thursday in August. The negro registration was very light and the colored man, as a rule, took no interest and appeared utterly indifferent to the question at stake. Many of the leading negroes are preaching to their followers and have preached it during the past few months that their pace for prosperity was out of politics and the advice appears to have been pretty well taken.

The white registration is larger than for the primaries for county and legislative officers several months ago, and this is very encouraging, notwithstanding the seeming carelessness of some white men at the beginning of the period of registration.

Chairman Johnson and prominent members of the Democratic Executive Committee last night, after a thorough canvass of the registration, expressed themselves as highly pleased with the result and confidently confirmed the estimate of the majority made above.

As stated in yesterday's STAR the registrars will be at the polling places next Saturday for the purpose of entering challenges.

Mr. B. S. Montford, of Masonboro township, sends a good report from that precinct. Only two white men in the entire township failed to register.

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10.10 A. M.	11.30 A. M.
2.30 P. M.	3.45 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.
7.15 P. M.	10.00 P. M.

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First Quarter	4	7:13 p.m.	Third Quarter	19	0:31 a.m.
Full Moon	12	8:22 a.m.	New Moon	26	8:43 a.m.

The Morning Star.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

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PUTTING THE DEVIL INTO THE NEGROES.

Since the present campaign opened the Radical stumpers and their Populist associates have done much by their incendiary speeches to make the negroes insolent and aggressive, not only in localities where they are numerous but in some where they are not. We have published several instances where they without provocation have attacked white men, one some time ago in Pitt county where they assaulted a tax lister because he refused to list a negro under age, and later another in the same county where several of them lay in wait for a registrar, who escaped attack only because some white men were watching the negroes and got close enough to the registrar to protect him.

Not long ago a citizen of Davidson county driving on the highway was assaulted by a crowd of rowdy negroes who abused and cursed him, threatened to kill him and might have done so if he had resented their abuse. A few days ago a gang attacked a white man on a public road in Wilson county, dragged him from his wagon, searched his pockets and took from him the little money they found in his pockets.

The latest comes from Shelby, Cleveland county, thus reported in a dispatch:

"Mr. Anderson Howell, a white man, was held up by three negroes near Shelby Tuesday. The negroes saw that he had on a white supremacy button and one of them said: 'Look at that G—d—n poor white scoundrel with that button on. He ain't as good as a negro. We are a good mind to kill you and throw you in the creek.' A white man drove up about that time and the negroes fled."

This man's offence was that he was a white man and wore a white supremacy button, which excited the rage of these three cowardly negroes, who fled on the approach of another white men.

Had not this other white man appeared, and had this white man assailed, resented the attack, the probabilities are that these three negroes would have carried out their threat, killed him and thrown him into the creek. It was three against one, and they knew they had him in their power.

Here is another instance of a somewhat similar character, although really more outrageous, an occurrence in Surry county, told by an Elkin correspondent of the Charlotte *Observer*:

"In this section of the State for the past few months it has been a matter of comment that negroes have become quite insolent and the cause of this change is to found in the fact that they are being backed up by certain fellows who want office and to get it do not care what means are used. Proof positive that some renegade white men have been putting the devil into the negroes is shown by a recent occurence near Elkin. One day last week a crowd of negroes tanked up with mean whiskey, went to the house of an aged and respectable white man named Lyons, who lives near Rusk, Surry county, and demanded that he tell them how he was going to vote on the amendment. When told that he expected to vote for the amendment the negroes got very mad, commenced to curse and abuse the old man and kept it up for some time. They finally left, saying he had best be careful how he voted against them, as they intended to get even with every white man who voted to disfranchise them.

This is the result of white men advising negroes to protect their rights at all hazards and if the white men of the State allow the amendment to be defeated North Carolina will witness many scenes more shamful than this one."

Here we have this outrageous insolence going on in different sections of the State, where the negroes are numerous and where they are few, but they are all characterized by audacity and inspired by the common hatred of the white man who does not agree with and affiliate with them.

This wasn't the case until quite recently. There were bad negroes of course, as there always will be, but a white man could travel on the highways alone and feel pretty secure from assault. It was not considered safe for a lone, unprotected white woman to do that, but white men were seldom maltreated. It isn't so now. Why this change? Why is it that negroes seem to lay in wait on the highways to assault and insult white men, when they feel safe in doing so? It is nothing more nor less than the result of the incendiary harangues they have been listening to from the political bushwhackers who have been going among them and, as the correspondent of the *Observer* says, filling them with the devil. They are easily stirred up now, more easily than heretofore because they are told that the constitutional amendment is intended to put the shackles on them and that it is simply the preliminary to offensive legislation which is to follow. They believe that and consequently they are in just that state of mind to be put up to any kind of devilment, an illustration of which we have in the assaults herein referred to, and in the alacrity they show in swearing against registrars to have them arrested.

With such exhibitions of lawlesslessness, insolence and hatred of white men who differ from them now, what may be expected if the constitutional amendment fails and the incendiary villains who have been urging them on get control of the State? The insolence they exhibit now wouldn't be a circumstance to what they would exhibit then for they could construe the defeat of the amendment as a license to insolence and encouragement to walk over and abuse any defenceless white person who happened to be in their way. They wouldn't wait for them to happen in their way but would go out and hunt and lay for them. A man going out upon the highway would have to equip himself with an arsenal to feel secure against insult and assault, and in the towns they would claim a monopoly of the sidewalks and crowd white ladies and children off, as they have done heretofore, when they thought that could be done with impunity.

An ounce of preventive is worth a pound of cure, and the way to prevent that is to ratify the constitutional amendment and let the negroes see that the white people are going to rule North Carolina and that negroes must behave themselves or get out of it.

BEARING ITS FRUIT.

As a result of the incendiary harangues of some of the anti-amendment stumpers in this State we have had assaults upon registrars for refusing to register negroes who had no right to register, upon white men travelling upon the highway for wearing white supremacy buttons, upon men at public meetings simply because they were Democrats. We have heard threats by negroes that they would apply the torch to houses of Democrats, and murder women and children. Little attention was paid to their threats because they were taken for the mere vaporing of senseless negroes, but they were not all idle threats for in one case at least the torch has been actually applied and a white family narrowly escaped death. The develish story is thus briefly told in a press dispatch from Troy, Montgomery county.

"TROY, N. C., July 20.—A Radical went to the house of a red shirt Democrat and burned it at 1 o'clock last night. Before applying the torch he poured a large quantity of kerosene on the building. Nine inmates of the house barely escaped with their lives, through the flames, in their night clothes. Every vestige of furniture and clothing was destroyed."

There is nothing in this to indicate whether this midnight incendiary was a negro or a white-skinned man. This is the county where a white registrar was forced under guns presented by a squad of white-skinned men and negroes to put their names on his book, and another registrar was threatened anonymously with being sent to a worse place than the penitentiary if he refused to register men who applied. It may have been a white-skinned man who applied the torch that burned this man's house and came near burning to death his family with it.

But what an object lesson of the devilish spirit that inspires the ignorant following of the incendiaries who from the stump are inflaming their passions and inciting them to vengeance.

Isn't it time that these men and this following be eliminated from politics, and deprived of the opportunity to do mischief?

MORE RECRUITS FOR THE AMENDMENT

We have heretofore published lists of Republicans and Populists who are supporting the Constitutional Amendment, and also letters from some of them giving their reasons for so doing. There is scarcely a day that does not add to the number. The following are among the latest. The first is from the Clarkton *Express*:

"*Editor Express*:—I have studied the Amendment very carefully, and with a mind unblinded by prejudice and unbiased by argument. I have heard it discussed pro and con and I am now ready to endorse it as it now stands revised, and say, "Sink or swim, live or die, survive or perish, I give my heart and hand to this vote." I write this because in my hesitation to endorse it, and because as it stood before it was revised, I really was opposed to certain features of it I have been known as an opposer of the Amendment.

"Yours cordially,
"JAS A. GOODEN."

The following is from the Salisbury *Truth-Index*:

"Mr. John Goodman, of Locke township, who has been a life-long Republican, has renounced the Republican party and expressed his determination to affiliate in the future with the Democrats.

"Mr. Goodman was present last Saturday night at a meeting of the White Supremacy Club at Kepley's school house, and at the conclusion of Prof. Smoot's speech was called on. Mr. Goodman arose and briefly stated his past and present position with reference to the parties, and said that in the future he would be found fighting with the white men of Rowan.

"Mr. Goodman is enthusiastic for the amendment."

There is rarely a meeting addressed by Democratic speakers that Republicans or Populists do not declare their purpose to support the Amendment, especially in the Central and Western portions of the State, where white Republicans and Populists are more numerous than in the Eastern section. Thousands of both will vote for the Amendment, and many of them for the Democratic State ticket and candidates for the Legislature, too.

REVENUE BULLDOZERS.

In an article a few days ago on the part the Revenue officers were taking in trying to intimidate registrars, we referred to the fact that in many counties in the central and western parts of the State they exercised a sort of despotic power and wielded it in the interest of the party to which they are indebted for the offices they hold. The following, which we clip from the Raleigh *News and Observer*, corroborates this and shows the methods some of them are resorting to to force men to vote against the constitutional amendment:

"Chairman Simmons yesterday received a letter from a leading Democrat of Wilkes which shows how Federal officeholders are using their office to help on negro rule. We make this extract from the letter:

"'I read with pleasure your letter to Mr McKinley. We are to-day feeling the effects of Federal interference. I will give you an instance. I learned that H. M. Parlier, who operates a government distillery, was opposed to the Amendment. Parlier has always voted the Democratic ticket. I saw him in Wilkesboro last week and asked him if it were true that he was opposed to the Amendment. He said: "No; I am in favor of it, but must vote against it.' He said that he had been notified that he would be watched on election day. If he voted for the amendment that a storekeeper and gauger would be sent on him, who would run him out in four days; but that if he voted against the amendment, every favor possible would be shown him. Parlier said that if he was forced out now at this season of the year with the large lot of hogs he had on hand that it would ruin him, and under the circumstances he must vote against the amendment. This was said to Mr. W. W. Barber in the presence of James M. Wellborn."

The fact is the internal revenue service in this State is a political machine, which is worked in every campaign for the Republican party, and it was never more thoroughly or infamously worked than now. There are hundreds of men acting with the Republican party in this State who were driven into it by these revenue officers.

In his speech accepting the nomination Mr. McKinley, speaking of the Philippines said, they "recognize American sovereignty as the symbol and pledge of peace, justice, law," &c., but he failed to say in that connection why, if they recognized all this, it is necessary to keep an army of 65,000 men there, why Gen. MacArthur says he can't spare any for China, and why it is necessary to keep shooting the Filipinos.

When the troops that have been ordered to China reach there, the United States will have, with the 1,860 officers and men now there, a force of 13,072, and twenty-five guns.

BICYCLE GIRLS

Are apt to overdo their strength. The rivalries of the road, the cheerful companionship, the exhilaration of the swift movement on the machine, all tend to make a woman unconsciously overtax herself. The results are often serious, and may affect the whole future of wifehood and motherhood.

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WE TWO.

ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

We two make home of any place we go;
We two find joy in any kind of weather;
Or if the earth is clothed in bloom or snow,
If summer days invite, or bleak winds blow,
What matters it if we two are together?
We two, we two, we make our world, our weather.

We two make banquets of the plainest fare;
In every cup we find the thrill of pleasure;
We hide with wreaths the furrowed brow of care
And win to smiles the set lips of despair.
For us life always moves with lifting measure;
We two, we two, we make our world, our pleasure.

We two find youth renewed with every dawn;
Each day holds something of an unknown glory.
We waste no thought on grief or pleasure gone;
Tricked out like hope, time leads us on and on,
And thrums upon his harp new song or story.
We two, we two, we find the paths of glory.

We two make heaven here on this little earth;
We do not need to wait for realms eternal.
We know the use of tears, know sorrow's worth,
And pain for us is always love's rebirth.
Our paths lead closely by the paths supernal;
We two, we two, we live in love eternal.

—*The Century for May.*

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Statesville *Landmark*: Mr. J. L. Cowan made 150 bushels of wheat on 5 acres, an average of 30 bushels to the acre.

— Kinston *Free Press*: The crops in this section are suffering terribly for lack of rain. Corn is cut off nearly half. The dry weather is damaging to cotton and very damaging to tobacco.

— Laurinburg *Times*: The Negroes of Scotland county and especially of Stewartsville township, are trying best they can, to carry out the advice of the best white people, and that is, leave off politics, buy a home and be quiet and industrious citizens.

— Salisbury *Sun*: Mr. J. W. Miller, of Providence township, brought us in three apples—a horse apple, rustico and red sweet apple. The three trees on which these apples grew sprang from three seeds which were taken from one apple and planted fifteen years ago.

— Mount Airy *News*: A horse 22 years old was in town Monday. It belongs to Mr. N. T. Hutchens. This shows that a horse will live to a ripe old age if taken care of. The animal is in fine condition and is good for many more years if the present owner keeps him.

— Sanford *Express*: We are told that a certain Populist of Chatham has been employed by a very low down white Republican of Sanford to canvass Moore county in opposition to the amendment. This Populist has already made several speeches in this section, and we only hope that he will continue to speak in the county till the election is held, as his speeches are vote-winners for the amendment.

— Rockingham *Anglo-Saxon*: We have reported to us on the very best authority that a number of good people at Roberdel witnessed an apparently inexplicable phenomenon last Friday afternoon. At about an hour by sun on that afternoon some one noticed a volume of smoke, about such as would come from an ordinary stove, curling up from the top of a green spruce pine in the yard of the Methodist church at Roberdel. It attracted a great deal of attention and was watched with much interest by a number of people for about two hours, or until it was obscured by the dark. No one has yet been able to suggest an explanation of this curious phenomenon. It was in the church yard, where no fire was near it, and curling up from a green pine tree.

Cold Steel or Death.

"There is but one chance to save your life and that is through an operation," was the awful prospect set before Mrs. I. B. Hunt, of Lime Ridge, Wis., by her doctor after vainly trying to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. He didn't count on the marvellous power of Electric Bitters to cure Stomach and Liver troubles, but she heard of it, took seven bottles, was wholly cured, avoided the surgeon's knife, now weighs more and feels better than ever. It is positively guaranteed to cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles, and never disappoints. Price 50c at R. R. BELLAMY'S druggist. †

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Thomas' Church: First mass, 7 A. M.; last mass, 9 A. M. No evening service.

Services in John's Church to-day by the rector, Rev. Dr. Carmichael, at 7.45 and 11 A. M.

Preaching at Delgado Mills this (Sunday) afternoon at the usual hour by Rev. P. C. Morton.

Sunday School of Brooklyn Baptist Church will meet hereafter at 4 o'clock instead of 3:30 P. M. as heretofore.

"The Nations Gathering for the Great Battle of Armagedon" will be Dr. Blackwell's subject at the First Baptist Church to-night.

The service at the Seamen's Bethel to-day will be conducted by Rev. M. A. Barber at 3 P. M. Sailors and friends cordially invited.

St. James' Church—Sixth Sunday after Trinity: 11 A. M., morning prayer, litany, sermon; 6 P. M., evening prayer. Public cordially invited.

Fifth Street M. E. Church—Services morning and evening at usual hour by Rev. W. E. Hocutt, of Kenansville. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

First Presbyterian Church: Divine services at 11 A. M. and 6 P. M., conducted by Rev. Wharton Whaling, D. D., of Lexington, Va. The public cordially invited.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Sixth Sunday after Trinity: Morning service with holy communion, 11 A. M.; evening prayer, 6 P. M.; Sunday school, 9:45 A. M.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev. A. G. Voigt pastor. German services at 11 A. M., English services at 6 P. M. Sunday School at 10 A. M.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, North Fourth street, above Bladen, supplied by Mr. C. W. Kegley: Morning service only, at 11 o'clock; Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. All seats free and every person welcome.

Elder H. V. Skipper, of Live Oak, Fla., will fill the pulpit of the Second Advent Church this morning and evening. The subject for 11 A M. will be the answer to a question propounded in the Songs of Solomon, vi:10, "Who is She?" At 8.15 P. M. the subject will be, "The Reason why We Should Preach, Believe and Love the Second Coming of Christ." Elder Skipper is an old citizen of Wilmington and the public is cordially invited to attend.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— No wind serves him who addresses his voyage to no certain port. —*Montaigne.*

— Remember that what you believe will depend very much on what you are.—*Noah Porter.*

— "Man was born with two eyes, and with one tongue, in order that he should see twice as much as he speaks."—*Carleton.*

— Each church should support two pastors, one for the thousands at home, the other for the millions abroad.—*Jacob Chamberlain, D. D.*

— Every young man and every young woman should be a junior partner with the Lord Jesus for the salvation of the world.—*Jacob Chamberlain, D. D.*

— No man is born into this world whose work is not born with him; there is always work, and tools to work withal, for those who will, and blessed are the horny hands of toil." —*J. R. Lowell.*

— High hearts are never long without hearing some new call, some distant clarion of God, even in their dreams; and soon they are observed to break up the camp of ease and start on some fresh march of faithful service.—*J. Martineau.*

— Every promise is built upon four pillars—God's justice, which will not suffer Him to deceive; His grace, which will not suffer Him to forget; His truth, which will not suffer Him to change; and His power, which makes Him able to accomplish.—*Salter.*

— He only is advancing in life whose heart is getting softer, whose blood warmer, whose brain quicker whose spirit is entering into living peace. And the men who have this life in them. are true lords or kings of the earth—they, and they only.—*John Ruskin.*

— A man must not choose his neighbor; he must take the neighbor that God sends him. In him, whoever he is, lies hidden or revealed a beautiful brother. "Thy neighbor" is just the man who is next to you at this moment. This love of our neighbor is the only door out of the dungeon of self.—*George MacDonald.*

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— There is no doubt that Aguinaldo has enough sins to answer for without reviving against him in this campaign the stale forgery of a proclamation urging the indiscriminate massacre of all Americans in Manila. The Republicans are in a sad way if McKinley cannot be elected without calumniating the Filipino chieftain.—*Mobile Register, Dem.*

—— The closing down of a big steel plant this week and throwing of 4,000 men out of employment, is one of the numerous economic incidents of the season which come under the head of what Republican orators and writers term "prosperity strikes." This was a prosperity close down cause by the fact that there has been a wonderful decline in the price of iron and its products. —*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

—— President McKinley has seriously erred in deciding, after conference with his Cabinet, that Congress should not be summoned to deal with the exceptionally grave problems which confront the government. It is idle to resort to hair-splitting on the question of whether or not we are at war with China. We are actually involved in war, and the wise thing would be to call it by its right name and look the appalling fact in the face.—*Philadelphia Times, Ind.*

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham, of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her. This marvellous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles 10c at R. R. BELLAMY's drug store. †

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CATARRH OF THE STOMACH.

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People afflicted with catarrh of the stomach complain of lassitude, all-tired-out feelings, their blood becomes thin, nervous system deranged, food seems to do them no good, continuous and increasing weakness. The unfortunate victim wonders why he should be so weak, why his food gives him no strength, why his blood should be so thin.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, July 21.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.20 per barrel for strained and $1.25 for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.40 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at $1.70 per barrel for hard $2.70 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine firm at 40@39½c; rosin steady at 90@95c; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine firm at $1.35, 2.00@2.10.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	158
Rosin	317
Tar	48
Crude turpentine	176

Receipts same day last year—279 casks spirits turpentine, 497 bbls rosin, 128 bbls tar, 83 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Nothing doing.

Same day last year middling steady at 5⅝c.

Receipts—1,131 bales; same day last year, 00.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime 70c. Extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 77½@80c. Virginia—Prime, 50c; extra rime, p55c; fancy, 60c.

CORN—Firm: 53 to 60 cents per bushel for white.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tidewater) 85c; upland, 50@60c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 11 to 12c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8½c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five-inch hearts and saps, $2.25 to 3.25; six-inch. $4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.50 to 10.00 per M

LOCAL SECURITIES.

Quotations on local securities, furnished and regularly corrected by Hugh MacRae & Co.:

STOCKS.

	BID.	ASKED.
A. C. L. of Conn., 5 per ct. Certs	110½	111¼
A. C. L. of Conn., stock	215	220
A. C. L. Common	63	65
A. C. L. preferred	102¼	103
W. & W. 7 per ct Certs	144½	147
N. C. R. R.	160	163
Delgado Mills	102	103
Wilmington Cotton Mills, pfd	110	115
Wilmington Gas Light Co	70	75
Carolina Insurance Co	105	107
Underwriters' Insurance Co	106	107
National Bank of Wilmington	120	...
Atlantic National Bank	201	...
Murchison National Bank	110	114
Wil. Savings & Trust Co	230	...
Blue Ridge National Bank	112	116
Warren Manufac'ing Co., preferred	100¾	101½
Abbeville Cotton Mills	100	101½
Southern Cotton Mills	95	98
Piedmont Manufacturing Co	...	190
Pacolet Manufacturing Co	245	280
F. W. Poe Manufacturing Co (old)	117¾	119
Anderson Cotton Mills	122	126
Pelzer Manufacturing Co	185	191
Gaffney Manufacturing Co	124	126
Grendel Cotton Mills	101	103
Clifton Manufacturing Co	188	194
Orr Manufacturing Co	104	105½
McColl Manufacturing Co	125	130
Darlington Manufacturing Co	97	100
Bennettsville Manufacturing Co	115	117½
BONDS.		
N. C. 4's	105¾	106½
N. C. 6's	135	136½
City Wilm, 5's, gold, 1922	110	112
City Wilm. 5's, 1919	100	...
City Wilm. 6's	100	...
Masonic Temple 1st 6's	105	...
Masonic Temple 2d 6's	...	100½
Wilmington Compress Co.'s 5's	85	...
A. C. L. 4's, certs	97	99
Wilmington & Weldon 5's	115½	117
Wilmington & Newbern 4's	101	102¼
N. H. County 5's, gold	100	103
Wilmington, gold 4's	99	101

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 21.—Money on call was nominal. Prime mercantile paper 4@4¾ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487½ for demand and 483⅞@484 forsixty days. Posted rates 484½@485 and 488. Commercial bills; 483¼@483½. Silver certificates 61½@62½. Bar silver 61⅛. Mexican dollars 48¼. Government bonds irregular. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U. S. refunding 2's reg'd, 104; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 104; U. S. 2's, reg'd, 100; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 109½; do. coupon, 110¼; U. S. new 4's, reg'd, 132⅝; do. coupon, 133⅝; U. S. old 4's, reg'd, 115½; do. coupon, 115½; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 113¼; do. coupon, 114¼; Southern Railway 5's 108⅝. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 76¼c; Chesapeake & Ohio 27¼c; Manhattan L 90; N. Y. Central 130; Reading 17; do. 1st pref'd 60; St. Paul 111; do. pref'd 170¾; Southern Railway 11⅛; do. pref'd 51¾; American Tobacco, 93¾; do. pref'd 123; People's Gas 99; Sugar 126¾; do. pref'd 116¼; T. C. & Iron 68¾; U. S. Leather 11⅛; do. preferred 68⅛; Western Union 79¾.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 21.—Rosin quiet. Strained common to good $1 60. Spirits turpentine easy at 46½@47c.

CHARLESTON, July 21.—Spirits turpentine nominal; sales — casks. Rosin firm; sales — casks. Quotations unchanged.

SAVANNAH, July 21.—Spirits turpentine firm at 43; sales 1,363 casks; receipts 1,009 casks; exports 193 casks. Rosin firm; sales 2,064 barrels; receipts 3,434 barrels; exports 10,335 barrels. M and above 10c off.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 21.—The market for cotton futures opened quiet with prices unchanged to three points lower and with new speculation totally lacking. The room trade devoted attention to week end settlements, the South sold the far months, Liverpool purchased the Summer and early Fall deliveries. Following the call, demand from shorts and scarcity of sellers caused prices to advance quite sharply, though business continued to hang fire. The cables from Liverpool were no better nor worse than looked for, the crop accounts from the eastern and western sections of the belt were fully as good as the average for some years past, while accounts from the central division were satisfactory in the long run. Warm local showers tend to benefiting the crop over this portion of the belt. The main incentive of the room trade was their endeavor to reduce obligations as a matter of precaution over the Sunday interval of adjournment. Spot cotton closed quiet and unchanged. Futures closed very steady, nine to twelve points advance, the firmness being entirely due to local covering on a small scale.

NEW YORK, July 21.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 10c.

Cotton futures market quiet; July 9.81, August 9.26, September 8.71, October 8.39, November 8.24, December 8.21, January 8.21, February 8.22, March 8.25, April 8.27, May 8.30.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 10c; middling gulf 10¼c; sales 134 bales.

Net receipts 200 bales; gross receipts 938 bales; stock 37,873 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 6,177 bales; stock 145,509 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 6,177 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 6,453,244 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,248,590 bales; exports to France 693,029 bales; exports to the Continent 2,668,770 bales.

July 21.—Galveston, quiet at 9½c, net receipts 86 bales; Norfolk, steady at 10c, net receipts 1,771 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 10, net receipts — bales; Boston, steady at 10c, net receipts 344 bales; Wilmington, nothing doing, net receipts 1,031 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 10¼c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts 393 bales; New Orleans, nominal at 10 3 16, net receipts 2,110 bales; Mobile, steady at 9¾c, net receipts — bales; Memphis, quiet at 9⅝c, net receipts 10 bales; Augusta, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts — bales; Charleston, quiet at 9⅝c, net receipts 142 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 21.—Flour was inactive but steady; winter patents $4 00@4 50; Minnesota patents $4 25@4 75. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red 85½c. Options displayed firmness pretty much all day, in spite of small trade. Besides higher cables and reports of hot weather in Germany and France, there was enough buying and a renewal of crop estimates in the Northwest. The close was steady at ¼c net advance; July closed 83¼c; September closed 82⅜c; December closed 83⅝c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 46⅜c. Options were steady but dull, influenced by higher cables, a little covering and the strength in wheat. Closed steady at unchanged quotations; July closed 44⅞c; September closed 44⅝c; December closed 41⅞c. Oats—Spot dull; No. 2 28c: options quiet but steady. Lard firm; Western steam $7 12½; July closed $7 12½; refined firm; continent $7 40; South American $8 00; compound 6¼@6⅝c. Petroleum quiet. Butter firm; creamery 16½@17½c; State dairy 15½@18½c. Cheese weak; large white and colorod 9@9¼c; small colored and white 9⅝@9⅞c. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania 14@17c at mark; Western 11@13½c at mark for average lots. Pork dull; family $14 50@15 50; short clear $13 00@15 00; mess $12 75@13 50. Tallow steady. Rice firm; domestic, fair to extra, 4½@6½c; Japan 4¾@4⅞c. Cotton seed oil was quiet and featureless. Prime crude, in barrels, 34c nominal; prime summer yellow 37c; butter grades nominal; off summer yellow 36½c; prime winter yellow 40@41c; prime white 40c; prime meal $25 00. Coffee—Spot Rio easy; No. 7 invoice 9¼c; mild quiet; Cordova 9½@13½c. Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining 4⅜; centrifugal 96 test 4⅞c; molasses sugar 4½c; refined firm; standard A $5 90; confectioners' A $5 90; mould A $6 35; cut loaf and crushed $6 40; powdered $6 10; granulated $6 10; cubes $6 10.

CHICAGO, July 21.—Wheat was helped by the English news to day, September closing ⅛@¼c higher. Corn closed ⅛c and oats a shade better. Provisions ruled strong and closed from 10c better in lard to 27½c improved in pork.

CHICAGO, July 21.—Cash quotations: Flour steady; winter patents $3 90@4 10; straights $3 20@3 80. Wheat—No. 2 spring 75½@76c; No. 3 spring 72½@75c; No. 2 red 77@78½c. Corn—No. 2, 39¼@40c. Oats—No. 2 24¼@24½c; No. 2 white 25½c; No. 3 white 25@26½c. Pork, per barrel—not reported. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 70@6 85. Short rib sides, loose, $6 85@7 10. Dry salted shoulders, $6 75@7 00. Short clear sides, boxed, $6 40@6 50. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 23½.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July 77, 77⅛, 76¾, 77@77⅛c; August 77¼, 77⅝, 76⅞@77, 77⅜c; September 78⅛@78¼, 78⅝, 77⅞, 78¼@78⅜c. Corn—No. 2 July 39⅜@39½, 39⅜@39⅝, 39¼, 39⅜@39½c; August 39⅛, 39½, 39¼, 39⅜@39½c; September 39⅜@39½, 39⅞@39⅝, 39¼, 39½c. Oats—July 23⅛, 23⅛, 23¼, 23⅛c; August 23⅛, 23¼@23⅜, 23⅛c; September 23¼@23⅜, 23⅜, 23⅛, 23¼. Pork, per bbl—July $12 00; September $12 10, 12 15, 11 92½, 12 15. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $6 82½; September $6 80, 6 90, 6 77½, 6 87½; October $6 82½, 6 92½, 6 82½, 6 92½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $6 90, 6 95, 6 90, 6 95; September $6 92½, 7 05, 6 92½, 7 02½; October $6 90, 7 00, 6 90, 7 00.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 21, 1 P. M.—Cotton—Spot, small demand, prices lower; American middling fair 6¼d; good middling 5 31-32d; middling 5 25-32d; low middling 5 21-32d; good ordinary 5 17-32d; ordinary 5 11-32d. The sales of the day were 2,000 bales, of which 200 were for speculation and export and included 1,600 American. Receipts 100 bales, all American.

Futures opened quiet and closed steady. American middling (l. m. c.) July 5 38 64d value; July and August 5 34-64d seller; August and September 5 12 64@5 13 64d value; September and October 4 54-64@4 55 64d value; October and November 4 40 64@4 41 64d seller; November and December 4 34-64@4 35 64d seller; December and January 4 31-64@4 32 64d buyer; January and February 4 29 64@4 30 64d buyer; February and March 4 27-64@4 28-64d buyer; March and April 4 26 64@4 27-64d buyer.

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EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

NEW YORK—Steamship Saginaw—438 casks spirits, 41 bbls rosin, 221 casks tar, 10 bbls crude, 21,000 feet lumber, 272 cases cotton goods, 50,000 shingles; cargo by various consignees; vessel by H. G. Smallbones.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., July 22, 1900.

SCHOONERS.

Lois V Chaples, 192 tons, Medero, New York, J T Riley.
Lillie, 311 tons, Davis, Samana, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Robert G Dunn, 537 tons, Lynch, Norfolk, George Harriss, Son & Co.
C C Lister, 267 tons, Robinson, New York, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

Pandur, (Dan), 562 tons, Schmidt, Heide & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—14 casks spirits turpentine, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,131 bales cotton, 36 casks spirits turpentine, 121 barrels rosin, 90 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—42 casks spirits turpentine, 52 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar.

C. C. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine, 98 barrels rosin, 24 barrels tar, 59 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer A. P. Hurt—23 casks spirits turpentine, 11 barrels tar, 14 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Driver—39 casks spirits turpentine, 46 barrels rosin, 7 barrels tar, 4 crude turpentine.

Total—Cotton, 1,131 bales; spirits turpentine, 158 casks; rosin, 317 barrels; tar, 48 barrels; crude turpentine, 176 barrels.

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At the Close of Business June 29th, 1900, Condensed from Report to Comptroller.

RESOURCES.

Loans		$ 771,179.73
Overdrafts		282.50
U. S. Bonds (at par)		216,100.00
Banking House and Fixtures		10,000.00
Due from app'd res've agt's	$127,965.57	
Due from other banks	174,879.74	
Cash on hand	87,593.69	—390,439.00
Total		$1,388,001.23

LIABILITIES.

Capital		$ 125,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits		107,963.78
Circulation		65,600.00
Deposits U. S. Treas.	$130,875.00	
Deposits from Banks	114,034.77	
Deposits from individuals	844,527.68	—1,089,437.45
Total		$1,388,001.23

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	June 29 '98.	June 29, '99.	June 29, 1900
Total deposits	$560,500	$847,700	$1,089,400
Surplus and net profits	79,700	92,700	107,900
U. S. bonds at par	40,100	95,600	216,100

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Stocks and Bonds	3,135.00	Profits less expenses	27,818.54
U. S. Bonds	195,100.00	Circulation	147,950.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	6,572.00	Deposits	394,122.77
Five per cent. redemption fund	7,400.00		
Revenue Stamps	456.00		
Office Furniture	750.00		
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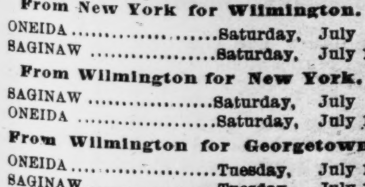

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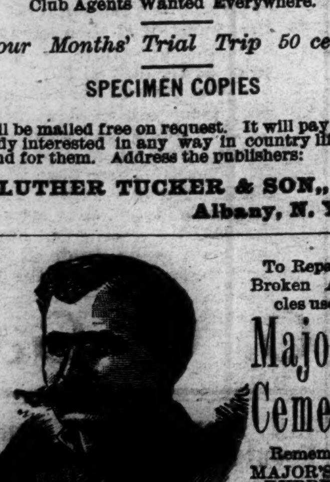

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"Sable island belongs to Nova Scotia, is 145 miles from Halifax and 85 miles east of Cape Canso," writes Gustav Kobbe in Ainslee's. "It is a treeless, shrubless waste, seamed by wind and wave and of ever changing aspect. A cone shaped hill near the east end, once a mere undulation of sand, is now over 100 feet high and is still growing. Other hillocks are gradually being mowed away by storms. The hillocks are liable to be undermined so swiftly and swept out of existence that they are carefully watched from the various stations on the island, there being no certainty how far an inroad of the sea will extend after each successful attack. Even the coarse grass of the island grows in a different manner from that of the mainland. It does not bear seed, but shoots up from roots which run along under the sand. During the winter the sand is blown over the grass and buries it sometimes three or four feet deep, but the hardy blades grow up next season, as if the island sands had protected them from the cold of winter in order to make them all the stronger.

"The island itself is fighting for self preservation. It seems as if it drew ships into its fatal embrace as rallying points for its loose and shifting sand, thus to protect itself by a bulwark of wrecks against annihilation by the sea. Tradition says that when Sable island was discovered by Cabot in 1447 it was 80 miles long and 10 miles wide. In 1802, when a rescue station was established there, it was only 40 miles long. Since then it has shrunk to but little more than 20 miles in length, and in width it is only a mile at its widest. Within 28 years the western end lost seven miles. Shoals over which the ocean now surges are pointed out as former sites of lighthouses. One of these was so swiftly undermined by the sea that it had to be abandoned with the greatest precipitation. The spot where once stood the superintendent's house is now under two fathoms of water.

"The island, rapidly diminishing at its western end, is slightly gaining at its eastern. Slowly, like a ship dragging its anchor, it is moving eastward. Will it ever reach the edge of the shoals, stand tottering on the brink of the abyss till it receives its coup de grace and plunge over the submarine bank forever into the depths? Unfortunately its end will probably be less dramatic. There is good ground for believing that this gray sand bar will slowly wear away until it becomes another submerged shoal added to an ambuscade already some 60 miles in length, for a line of breakers extends 16 miles from one end of the island and 28 miles from the other.

"In the space of a single year Sable island claimed more than 200 lives. In fact, so many wrecks line the shoals of this ocean graveyard that the new pile up on the old, like bodies heaped in one ditch. The Crofton Hall, an iron sailing ship wrecked a few years ago on the northeast bar, broke in two about amidships. The pieces have drifted together again, and the islanders suppose that she struck crosswise upon an old submerged wreck and is settling over it, which accounts for the two parts coming together. Nor is the island satisfied with the awful tribute which it exacts from the living. The same informant who writes me about the Crofton Hall adds that the bark John McLeod, which was wrecked off Devil's island at the entrance to Halifax harbor, drifted ashore on Sable island bottom up, a wreck of a wreck!

"One of the grimmest legends of Sable island dates from the wreck of the Amelia, and there is enough evidence of truth connected with it to show what bloody deeds were added on that occasion to the terrors of shipwreck. Captain Torrens, who commanded the gunboat which was dispatched to Sable island after the wreck of the Amelia, was one of the survivors of the second disaster. A passenger on the lost transport was Lady Copeland, on her way to join her husband. The captain of the gunboat had been told that she wore on her forefinger a ring of peculiar artifice.

"The story has it that Captain Torrens, wandering over the island one night in search of possible survivors, was attracted by the piteous whining of his dog in front of a small, open shelter known to have existed at that time, but long since toppled to pieces. Approaching the shelter, he was startled to see the figure of a woman all in white and holding toward him the bleeding stump of a forefinger. While he was gazing at the apparition it rose, silently glided past him and dived into the sea. But time and again thereafter the white woman with bleeding forefinger was seen wandering over the sand hills.

"It is probably only part of the weird legend that Captain Torrens, feeling sure that a shocking crime had been committed, tracked the guilty pirate until he discovered his family on the coast of Labrador and learned that the ring had been sold in Halifax. It is a fact, however, that many years after the disaster Lady Copeland's ring was discovered in a jewelry store in Halifax and was returned to her family. From that hour her ghost has ceased to haunt the island."

First Negro Minstrels.

The first negro minstrel troupe appeared in the United States about 1845. They were real negroes, led by a man named Johnson, and the melody which gained them great applause was named "That Old Gray Goose." The words ran, "Oh, don't you see that old gray goose a-lookin at the gander?" This was sung by the tenor voice, and the chorus ran in parts to the words "Where," "Here," "I hear," and then a ringing chorus. Another of their part songs was "Oh, Mamma, I Must Be Married to Mr. Punchinello," different voices singing "Who Mr. Punch?" "Who Mr. Nell?" "Who Mr. Lo?" "Who Mr. Punchinello?"

Jim Was Ahead.

"It's strange," sighed the trolley conductor, "how, when two boys start out with equal chances, one of them is bound to forge ahead while the other lags behind. There was Jim. Jim and I were fast friends as youths, but look at me now! Equal as our chances were, Jim is ahead"—

"What is he doing?" asked the passenger who had paid his fare.

"He's the motorman up front. Did I get your nickel?" Bang! Clatter! "Edmund place!" Bang! Clatter! Ting-a-ling! "Yes, sir; it's strange!"—Detroit Free Press.

When a husband gets up to give his wife a chair, she fairly beams at the thought that other women now see that he idolizes her and would be willing to die for her.—Atchison Globe.

It is said that dried currants given to horses occasionally in lieu of oats will increase the animal's powers of endurance.

STRIKING A MATCH.

Showing How Little Things May at Times Decide a Man's Fortune.

The truth of the saying that little things may oftentimes play an important part to men's affairs when the men least expect it was illustrated one day recently.

"See that young man over there," remarked an insurance friend of his, pointing to one of his clerks working away industriously at a desk in another room. "Well, he got his place in my office through the striking of a match, although he doesn't know it.

"I was standing at the entrance of this building about a month ago waiting for a friend to come down the elevator, when that young man approached me with a letter of recommendation and an application for employment. I had made it known a few days before that I needed another clerk, and he had heard of it. However, I had almost made up my mind to take on a young man who had been to see me the day before and was about to tell the last applicant so, when he pulled a match from one of his pockets to light a cigar he had been smoking, but which had gone out.

"'Sorry, sir,' he said, balancing himself on one foot, while he lifted the other so as to admit of his striking the match on the heel of his shoe. 'Sorry, for I would like very much to work for you, and I think I would have made you a good clerk.'

"The match striking incident made me think so too. Right at the young man's elbow was a great Italian marble column upon which were the marks showing where many matches had been struck by vandals too utterly indifferent to the rights of others to refrain from indelibly stamping their vandalism upon property to restore which would have cost hundreds of dollars. It would have been the most natural thing in the world for many a man to have scratched that match on the marble column, and the fact that this young man chose to use the heel of his shoe instead showed that he was thoughtful and conscientious, two very excellent traits. I was so impressed that I told him to come and see me, and the result of the visit was his securing the position. And his month in my office has shown that I made no mistake in sizing him up."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

EXCHANGED OVERCOATS.

At First by Accident and Then to Rectify the Error.

"Queer things have happened to me in Chicago," said the rubber goods man, "but perhaps the queerest of all was the way I lost and found my overcoat last winter. It was all the fault of the check boy. He gave me out what I took to be my coat as I was ready to go to the depot. It fitted me all right, and so did the gloves in the pocket. It was not until I boarded the train that I found some letters which proved that I had the wrong coat. I had a lower berth for Detroit. The upper berth passenger came in after a bit, and as he sat down he said:

"'Well, I thought I would get out of Chicago this time without anything happening, but I'm disappointed. Through some hocus pocus or other I've lost my overcoat—that is, I've made an exchange with some one.'

"'Just my case,' I replied.

"'Where did you stop?'

"'At the Auditorium.'

"'So did I.'

"Well, he had my coat, and I had his," continued the rubber goods man, "and it took only a minute to effect the exchange. We were both bound for Detroit, both intended to put up at the same hotel and both had business with the same firm. It was a queer thing, taken all around, but, as I said at the beginning, there is no place like Chicago for surprises. A year ago I was hurrying along State street with the crowd when I ran plump into a man whom I had left for dead in Mexico three years before, and the first words he spoke was to tell me he was hard up and dun me for $5 I owed him!"—Washington Post.

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DAILY 9.35 A. M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.[illegible] A. M., Warsaw 11.24 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.48 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.32 P. M., Petersburg [illegible] M., Richmond 7.25 P. M., Norfolk [illegible] P. M., Washington 11.20 P. M., Baltimore 1.03 A. M., Philadelphia 3.[illegible] A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.[illegible] P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.[illegible] P. M., Warsaw 8.41 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 6.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.15 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.37 A. M., Richmond 3.23 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.20 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.44 P. M., Chadbourn 5.25 P. M., Marion 6.20 P. M., Florence 7.10 P. M., Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M., Denmark 5.55 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 10.55 P. M., Savannah [illegible] A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.[illegible] P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston †1.[illegible] P. M., New York *9.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.20 A. M., Baltimore 2.55 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M., Rocky Mount 12.55 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.30 P. M., Warsaw 4.29 P. M., Magnolia 4.35 P. M.

DAILY 9.20 A. M. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.00 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.46 P. M., Washington 3.07 P. M., Richmond 6.50 P. M., Petersburg 7.33 P. M., †Norfolk 2.20 P. M., Weldon 9.05 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.25 A. M. Leave Wilson 5.57 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.38 A. M., Magnolia 7.51 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.26 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.20 P. M. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 7.10 A. M., Sanford 12.05 P. M., Jacksonville 8.30 P. M., Savannah 2.10 A. M., Charleston 6.48 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.24 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.39 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.08 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 6.40 A. M. No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 3.41 P. M., leave Fayetteville 3.46 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.05 A. M. Maxton 9.10 A. M., Red Springs 9.46 A. M., Hope Mills 10.32 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.55 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.17 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. M., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11 00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 6.40 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.35 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 9.00 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.20 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.20 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M., 5.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M., 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 7.45 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leave Clinton at 6 45 A. M. and 10.50 A. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.42 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 3.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M. Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 3.35 P. M., Manning 6.04 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.43 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 7.00 A. M., 3.30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.25 A. M.; 5.55 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P.M.; arrive Darlington 8.20 P. M., Bennettsville 9.17 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.05 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.00 A. M. Bennettsville 7.00 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.00 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.15 P. M., Hartsville 7.00 A. M., Darlington 6.29 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington Sunday only at 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.59 P. M., 10.40 P. M., arrive Selma 2.43 P. M., 11.24 P. M., Smithfield 3.02 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M., Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 12.19 A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M., returning leave Rowland 10.58 A. M., Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., 9.41 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 10.54 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 11.33 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.05 A. M., Creston 4.54 A. M., arrive Denmark 5.55 A. M. Returning, leave Denmark 4.24 P. M., Creston 5.22 P. M., Sumter 6.10 P. M. Daily.

Trains leave Creston 5.45 A. M., arrive Pregnalls 9.15 A. M. Returning, leave Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrive Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Returning, leave Lucknow 1.50 P. M., arrive Elliotts 3.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

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Time Table No. 9.

To Take Effect Tuesday, Aug. 8, 1899, at 9 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro........	11 05	
....	4 32	Kinston........	10 18	
6 40	6 50	Newbern........	8 27	9 00
7 53	7 07	Morehead City........	7 23	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 22, 1900.

CAUGHT IN MARION COUNTY.

Negroes Who Attempted to Assault a White Girl at Florence, S. C. Lynching Threatened

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

FLORENCE, S. C., July 21.—After five days' hard chasing the negroes guilty of attempted rape on a white girl here last Monday, were captured in the woods of Marion county. The sheriff went for them in a special, refusing citizens passage. Citizens followed in another special, but found the prisoners too well guarded. The Governor put the local military company under the sheriff's orders and instructed him to do his duty. The sheriff held the prisoners at Marion, S. C., waiting orders of the Governor to return to Florence. The Governor addressed the men here this afternoon, urging them to vindicate the law. The crowd wanted vengeance and refused assurance, so the Governor ordered the sheriff to hold the negroes in Marion for orders. Unless assurance is given of their protection, he will order them to Columbia. Citizens talk of wrecking the train if an attempt is made to rush the prisoners through. The crowd is holding an indignation meeting tonight and is very angry with officers of the law. Conservative citizens are trying to reason with the crowd and have hopes of success.

ROBESON COUNTY.

A Very Large Majority for the Amendment Shown by Registration.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

MAXTON, N. C., July 21.—Eight townships in Robeson county—Maxton, Alfordsville, Lumber Bridge, Lumberton, Red Springs, Burt Swamp, Smith's and Thompson's—show a registered majority of 1,725 for the Amendment. This is a gain over the vote for Humphrey, Democrat, for Superior Court clerk in 1898, of 1,376. The ten townships not heard from ought to make Robeson's majority from 2,000 up. The majority in 1898 was 667 in the county. Maxton's gain will be about 250.

Maxton is shipping melons at the rate of twenty cars per day.

FRANCE ASKED TO MEDIATE.

Telegram Received in Paris from Emperor of China—Reply of French Minister of Foreign Affairs.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

PARIS, July 21.—At the council of ministers to-day the Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. DelCasse, read a telegram from the Emperor of China, asking the mediation of France with the foreign powers. The telegram was signed by Kwang Su, and not by Pu Chan, the son of Prince Tuan. The reply given by M. DelCasse was that the request would be considered only upon absolute knowledge that the following acts had been accomplished:

1. That efficacious protection and absolute freedom of communication had been assured between the French minister at Pekin and his colleagues of the diplomatic corps and their respective governments.

2. When Prince Tuan and the high functionaries responsible for the actual events had been dismissed by the government to await inevitable punishment.

3. When the authorities and bodies of troops throughout the entire empire shall have received an order to cease hostilities against foreigners.

4. When measures have been taken for the rigorous repression of the Boxers.

So long as the necessary guarantees are not furnished there is room only for military action.

M. Del Casse notified the cabinet that all the powers had responded favorably to the proposition to prevent the exportation of arms to China.

SEABOARD AIR LINE.

Denial of Report That the Southern Railway Has Secured Controlling Interest in the System.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PORTSMOUTH, VA., July 21.—President Williams and Vice President St. John of the S. A. L. were in Portsmouth to-day and were asked what they had to say in regard to the newspaper story to the effect that J. P. Morgan & Co., or the Southern railway had purchased a controlling interest in the Seaboard Air Line system. They replied that the report was utterless false and was doubtless being circulated with malicious intent, and originated with the same parties who have been conducting the fight against the Seaboard Air Line system for the past few years. To show how absolutely ridiculous the story is, they authorize the statement that the entire capital stock of the Seabaard Air Line system has been deposited in a voting trust which has ten years to run, and in addition to this a large majority of the voting trust certificates are also owned by the voting trustees and their immediate associates. President Williams also added: "The public can safely brand as false any rumors of this sort, which are being and probably will continue to be set in motion from time to time by certain railway interests inimical to the Seaboard and for the evident purpose of adversely affecting the business of this system. If the Seaboard wanted to purchase the Southern railway it could do so with much greater ease than the Southern could buy the Seaboard.

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DISAPPOINTMENT IN WASHINGTON.

Allies' Advance Upon Pekin Will Not Begin Until the Middle of August.

NO RELIEF OF LEGATIONS.

Friction Among the Leaders of the International Forces Probably the Cause. Chaffee May Act Independently and Lead the Way.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Two dispatches from Chinese officials and one from Admiral Remey at Taku represented the news developments of the day so far as the Chinese situation was concerned.

The Chinese dispatches were corroborative, or were intended to be, of the important news of yesterday relative to the state of the legationers. Admiral Remey's dispatch, aside from a list of casualties, already treated in briefer form, was most important. It conveyed the disagreeable news that the international column would not begin its advance upon Pekin before the middle of August. This notice was received here with consternation, in view of Mr. Conger's advice of the desperate position the legationers were in on the 18th. The delay is incomprehensible to the officials here. It is known that an army, already formidable in numbers, and of veteran soldiers, is at Tien Tsin and Taku, and with a courageous leader it was expected that this would push on at once, cutting loose from its base if need be and forcing its way to Pekin, leaving the reinforcements now steaming towards Taku from every quarter of the globe to re-establish the base and to re-open communication.

Powers Will Not Hasten.

It is possible to draw two conclusions from a failure of the foreign commanders to do this. First, the European governments have allowed their skepticism as to the authenticity of Mr. Conger's dispatch to carry them to the point of proceeding coolly and deliberately upon the first supposition, namely, that there are no foreigners alive to be saved; consequently, there is no need for haste.

The other conclusion is that friction is developing among the internationals in spite of the earnest endeavors of the powers whose motives as to China are so far unimpeached to prevent it. Color is lent to this latter theory by the fact that the governments have so far been unable to agree upon an international commander for the expedition to Pekin, and this, too, in spite of the fact that Admiral Remey, acting by the instructions of his government, is exhausting every effort to induce the other commanders at Taku and Tien Tsin to hasten their movements.

The text of Admiral Remey's statement, relative to the movement of the international column was not made public; in fact, it was not intended that the news should get out, and there was a feeling of annoyance exhibited at the publication because of its possible effect upon the international negotations now under way. Meanwhile, to secure an accurate statement of the exact conditions at Taku and Tien Tsin and the resources which will be at the disposal of the international commander whoever he may be, Secretary Long to-day cabled Admiral Remey to send him a statement of the number of the international troops now ashore in China, separating different nationalities.

Chaffee May Act Independently.

General Chaffee is due at Nagasaki in a day or two. He will tranship at that point and arrive at Taku in about a week from this time. It has been suggested here that General Chaffee will, if need be, leave the other commanders to their own devices and lead the way to Pekin himself. His brother officers in the War Department say that he is quite competent to undertake this task. Others declare that with the small force of Americans at his command the attempt would be suicidal, even if Chaffee were supported by the British. The details for General Chaffee's staff were announced to-day. A notable feature is the inclusion of Lieutenant Colonel Heistand, now U. S. military attache to the Paris Exposition Commission.

The troop movements ordered to day, concerning the First infantry, had been anticipated yesterday. It is presumed that one effective battalion will be made out of the two battalions of that regiment returning from Cuba, excluding the short term men, who will remain at Leavenworth, as the home battalion of the First regiment This new battalion, with the battalion now at Leavenworth, will proceed to China. The consolidation into two of the original six military departments of Cuba, announced to-day, is nothing more than the logical result of the withdrawals of troops from that island already directed.

Faith in the Conger Message.

After mature deliberation and after giving due consideration to the incredulous criticisms of the European authorities as to the Conger message, the State Department remains unshaken in its first conclusion, that the message was authentic and that Mr. Conger was alive on July 18th. Corroborative evidence came to the department this morning, through Minister Wu from two widely removed sources—one from Sheng, at Shanghai, and the other from the viceroy of Nanking. They make it clear that an edict certainly has been issued relative to the condition of the foreign ministers and certain other matters of information of the greatest value and interest, if they be true. It may, however, be mentioned, and that consideration was duly discussed by Secretaries Hay, Root and Long this morning, that all of these communications from Pekin, at two points, passed through the same channel. At Shanghai, Sheng receives everything; in Washington, Mr. Wu is the medium. The point of this is that this additional evidence is deprived of a good deal of its corroborative value.

Notwithstanding this fact our government is proceeding upon the presumption that these communications are authentic. It has not been influenced in this attitude by European criticism, but convinced that it had everything to gain and nothing to lose by reposing confidence in the Chinese minister here, the State Department has felt it to be not only good policy but a duty to make use of the friendly disposition of the pro-foreign Chinese officials to alleviate the condition of the legations, if they are still alive.

Forebodings of Evil.

The Shanghai report that Li Hung Chang is to be detained and prevented from going to Pekin, is received here with forebodings of evil. It cannot be doubted that to interfere forcibly with his freedom of movement would precipitate a crisis in the southern provinces of China, and would certainly prevent him from doing anything for the foreign ministers, if he is acting in good faith. Feeling that the powers themselves are now willing to admit the error made by their naval commanders in not following Admiral Kempff's advalce at Taku, the officials here deprecate the adoption by many of the powers of further measures in the same wrong direction. Possibly this subject may form the basis of some rapid diplomatic exchanges.

Li Hung Chang.

SHANGHAI, July 20.—The British cruiser Bonaventure left Woo Sung early this morning, it is reported, to seize the Au Ping with Li Hung Chang on board. A triumphal arch erected in Li Hung Chang's honor has been ordered by the council to be removed.

Chinese Duplicity.

SHANGHAI, July 20.—According to Sheng, the administrator of telegraphs, most of the telegrams received previous to the one from Minister Conger to the State Department at Washington took a week in transmissions from Pekin. The date of Minister Conger's message is therefore regarded in best circles here as a further proof of Chinese duplicity.

Tien Tsin Quiet.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—The Navy Department has received the following cablegram from Admiral Remey, dated Taku, July 20:

"Tien Tsin quiet; latest report, from Russian sources, July 13th, legations at Pekin are still holding out. Reliability of this information is uncertain. Major Regan, Captains Noyes and Bookmiller, First Lieutenants Lawton and Schoeffel, wounded Ninth infantry officers, and Second Lieutenant Jolly, marine corps, sick, now aboard the Solace. Expect about thirty wounded men. Will then send all to Yokohoma hopital.

Japanese Troops Arriving.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 21.—The Chinese positions on the Amur have been cleared from Blagovestchensk as far as Khaberofsk.

Eight thousand Japanese troops arrived at Tien Tsin from Taku Monday, July 16th; twenty-one thousand Japanese troops are commanding the position at Che Foo and eighteen hundred at Shan Hai Kuan.

Navigation of the Pei Ho river from Taku to Tien Tsin is now easy and free from marauders.

Owing to the lack of houses, three hundred tents have been pitched for the wounded at Tien Tsin.

LONDON, July 21.—The admiralty this afternoon received the following telegram from Admiral Seymour:

"Tien Tsin and neighborhood entirely evacuated by Chinese."

RUSSIA AND CHINA ARE OPENLY AT WAR.

Chinese Army Numbering 120,000 Assume the Offensive—Command Navigation of Amur River.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

BERLIN, July 21.—The Chinese situation takes on a radically different shape from news which has reached here from Russia. What Europe hitherto knew about the troubles in Manchuria was what the Russian government chose to let pass. Now a number of reports, some of them official, have reached here from St. Petersburg which tally in the main and paint the situation in Chinese Manchuria and along the 1500 kilometres of borderland on the Siberian side of which the Amur river forms a frontier, as much more dangerous for Russia than has hitherto been supposed. The Associated Press correspondent has obtained at the Russian embassy here a partial though cautious confirmation of the above statement. A military contributor to the *Tageblatt* says official Russian news showed that Chinese regular troops, aided by irregulars, in all numbering about 120,000, are in open war against Russia. They not only demand the withdrawal of the Russians from Chinese territory, but after the Russian refusal to withdraw, the Chinese assumed the offensive and drove off the Russians from railroad construction and are undertaking hostile demonstrations against Harbin, Blagovestchensk and other towns, shelling the last named place. What makes Chinese hostilities extremely dangerous, however, is the fact that the Chinese, by a series of recently constructed forts and redoubts, absolutely command the navigation of the Amur river for a distance of twenty versts, thus preventing Russian troop transports on the only route open; at least until those fortifications shall have been taken by the Russians.

All reports agree that the Russian government now considers that Russia is actually at war with China; that the shilly-shally policy hitherto maintained will be dropped; that Russia is now hurriedly preparing for a serious campaign in North China, separate from the other powers, and that Russia will not be able nor willing, under these altered circumstances, to bear an adequate share in the Tien Tsin-Pekin affair.

The Russian forces available along the border and throughout North China are stated to comprise 26 battalions of the line, 27 battalions of reserves, 17 Cossack regiments and 17 field batteries, altogether about 78,000 men.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

A Big Battle Said to Be in Progress at Middleburg.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, July 21.—A special dispatch from Cape Town, dated to-day, says:

"Lord Roberts has attacked Middleburg in force and a big battle is in progress. President Kruger is with the burghers during the defence."

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Result of Base Ball Games Played Yesterday by the Clubs.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Chicago—Chicago, 0; Boston, 9.

New York—New York, 8; St. Louis, 8.

Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 6; Cincinnati, 5.

Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 0; Philadelphia, 3.

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Tickets will be on sale for the Southern Epworth League Conference at Atlanta, July 24th and 25th, good until August 1st, inclusive, by the Seaboard Air Line Railway. †

To Norfolk $3.00; Washington or Baltimore $6.00 and return. Pipkin's excursion leaves Tuesday morning 8.30, rain or shine. Cool weather promised. †

FIERCE FIGHTING AT TIEN TSIN.

Graphic Account of the Bloody Battle With the Chinese on the 13th Inst.

AMERICANS FOUGHT BRAVELY

Were at Great Disadvantage Through Blundering Mismanagement of Commanding Officers and Suffered Severely--Liscum's Death.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 21.—The *Evening World* publishes the following from its Tien Tsin correspondent, under date of Che Foo, July 19th, via Shanghai, July 21st:

"The attack on the native city of Tien Tsin on July 13th resulted in the narrowest escape from what seemed up to midnight would be a terrible disaster for the allies. The Russians swinging north, and the other allies south, at daybreak the Russians were to take the forts near the native city wall, and the other allies the city itself.

"General Fukushina, the Japanese commander, promised that the Japanese engineers, after three cours shell fire from all guns, would cross the bridge over the moat before the wall and blowing up the great south gate make a breach for the infantry to enter

Upon this depended everything; but General Fukushina, had not scouted the bridge and in twenty-four hours had not scouted the ground over which the charge on the bridge had to be made.

"The Chinese destroyed the bridge and flooded the land around it. The allies' shell fire in nowise subdued the Chinese rifle fire from the loopholed wall, which was thirty feet high with a moat twenty feet in depth around it.

"The outer wall of mud made it impossible for the infantry and marines coming on the field to reply to the Chinese fire. They lost fifty men in ten minutes, and then rushed back from the mud wall which they had reached.

"General Dorward, the British commander, hastened forward with a fragmentary instead of an integral skirmish line.

"The American marines and the Welsh Fusiliers, together, under command of Waller, were on the extreme left. Then the British marines and the French advanced with the Japanese along the road toward the gate in the mud wall.

"Dorward's plan for the Americans to support the Japanese was not made clear to Colonel Liscum of the Ninth U. S. infantry.

"Dorward lays the blame for the blunder and sacrifice of life on Liscum, but Dorward's chief of staff was heard to say when Liscum moved: 'Get in down the road anywhere quickly.'

"Colonel Liscum hurriedly led his men through the gate in as open order as possible. They were immediately under fire. The staff saw them pass over the bridge leading to a field which proved to be a cul de sac.

"Before the two battalions of Americans, numbering 426 men, could extend themselves, they were subjected, besides the fire from the loopholes in the fort, to a fierce fire from the embrasures in a line of fortified mud houses on their flank. Three thousand rifles probably were turned on them with an accuracy that has amazed every officer among the allies.

"The blue shirts of the American troops made them distinct marks where the khaki uniforms of the other allies could not be seen.

"Colonel Liscum, guiding his men, walked up and down the lines, not even ducking his head while the bullets fell around.

"The Americans charged into the flank fire with rushes. The ground over which they charged was marshy and lined with ditches. It was evidently Colonel Liscum's intention to rush the houses from which the flank fire was coming and thus get a position for flanking the wall.

"At 12.30 the line had just reached the shore of the canal and thirty yards separated them from the houses when the color bearer fell. Colonel Liscum picked up the colors and stood looking around, apparently for a ford.

" 'Better get down or they will hit you,' shouted Major Regan. 'I guess not,' was Liscum's reply. The next instant a sharpshooter's bullet went through the brave colonel's abdomen.

" 'I've got it,' he said, as he fell. 'Get at them if you can,' the dying officer said, and added as his last words: 'Don't retreat, boys; keep on firing.' Regan was hit immediately afterward.

"All day long the allies' line lay under any cover the men could find, running out of ammunition. The July sun was beating down on them and they had nothing to drink but the salty marsh water.

"Meanwhile the wounded came struggling and crawling through the gate in the mud wall. There was no order. They were sent anywhere without men to carry the litters.

"The doctors were hit by sharpshooters while trying to attend the wounded of the Ninth. They could not attempt to carry off the wounded from the bloody field.

"Major Regan, Captain Bookmiller and Captain Noyes were all hit twice.

"Noyes, who was adjutant, was hit in the arm before going into the field and then hit in the leg. He crawled back through the ditch with the water to his neck to report the situation to Col. Dorward.

"At 1 o'clock General Fukushina reported in writing to Dorward that the Japanese were in the city.

"I could see the loopholes blazing bullets and lyddite shells. No infantry could charge in the face of this fire from 2 o'clock to 5 o'clock.

"Though acting jointly, neither Dorward nor Fukushina knew each other's whereabouts.

"Under cover of darkness, the men of the Ninth crept from their dangerous position, bearing their wounded They executed this movement with a loss of one man killed. The casualties were 91 men and five officers out of 426 men.

The marines lost thirty, including Captain Davis, who was shot through the heart while talking to Colonel Meade on the night of July 13.

"It was decided to withdraw when news came that the Chinese were evacuating.

"The Russians were not so successful as hoped during the day, and the total loss of the allies was seven hundred.

"The Japanese losses were severe. The Japanese were most gallant in the fight. But for the Americans stopping the flank fire the Japanese loss would have been much heavier.

"The French, Japanese, Americans and British entered the city at 2 o'clock on the morning of July 14th. Their entry was unopposed.

"The American flag at half-mast was hoisted over the south gate. The walls were strewn with corpses of Chinese soldiers, killed by the shell fire which caused their flight.

"None apparently was hit by bullets, the damage being done by lyddite shells.

"There is a terrible row over the burning of the town. Several foreign officers are reported lost.

"The tired soldiers remained on the walls. The natives went looting through the Chinese town. The bank and the arsenal were heavy sufferers.

"An advance movement on Pekin is not contemplated soon.

"The American wounded crowd the hospital, but all are doing well.

The flags of the allied armies are all half masted."

NOT CREDITED IN LONDON.

Alleged Official Statement That All Foreign Ministers in Pekin Are Safe Discredited in Berlin.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, July 21.—Sir Chih Chen Lo Feng Loh, the Chinese minister to Great Britain, visited the Foreign Office this afternoon and communicated what purported to be an imperial edict, giving assurances that on July 18 all the foreign ministers at Pekin except Baron Von Ketteler were safe and sound under the protection of the imperial court. The Chinese minister did not see the British minister of foreign affairs, Lord Salisbury. The alleged edict was received without comment.

The correspondent of the Associated Press has the highest authority for saying that not the slightest credence is attached by the British government to this latest statement and that the government is also quite unable to understand the credence which is accorded at Washington to Minister Conger's message to the State Department there. Lord Salisbury, according to this authority, is convinced of the truth of the original reports of the massacre of foreigners at Pekin.

BERLIN, July 21.—The alleged dispatch from Minister Conger and all the other re assuring Chinese advices received here are viewed by the German officials with extreme scepticism, and Ambassador White has so cabled the Washington authorities.

ALL THE MINISTERS SAFE.

Important Telegrams Received by Chinese Minister in Washington—Insurgents Killing Each Other.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—The Chinese minister, Wu Ting Fang, communicated to the Secretary of State this morning two important telegrams. The first is from Sheng, the director of posts and telegraphs in Shanghai, and says:

"Fortunate that Minister Conger's telegraphic reply has come. Imperial decree of the 22d, this moon, (corresponding to July 18,) stated that all the ministers were safe. Insurgents are fighting and killing each other. Li Hung Chang, in proceeding northward to suppress riot, will find it difficult to go."

The second telegram is from Li Kui Yi, viceroy of Nankin, dated the 21st of July, and received by Minister Wu at 1 o'clock the same day. It is as follows:

"According to edict of 22nd of this moon (July 18) with the exception of the German minister who was killed by anarchists, with regard to which rigorous measures are being taken to investigate and punish the guilty parties, all the ministers, for whom strenuous efforts are being made for their protection, are fortunately unharmed."

Li Kui Yi, viceroy of Nankin, is one of the great officers of China and stands next in rank among the diplomats to Li Hung Chang.

BRUSSELS, July 21.—The Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Fabreaux, has received the following telegram from Shanghai, dated to-day:

"A telegram from the governor of Shan Tung announces that the ministers were safe July 20. They were under the guardianship of the Chinese authorities.

"Li Hung Chang has arrived at Shanghai."

WARM WIRELETS.

J. P. Hoffman, an old time counterfeiter, was arrested by Secret Service Operative Burns yesterday at his lodgings in Philadelphia.

It is reported from Chee Foo that the international commanders have concluded that it will be useless to try to advance on Pekin before the middle of August.

The Postoffice Department has denied the application of the authorities of the Charleston, S. C., Inter-State and West Indian Exposition for the government issue of a special series of postage stamps commemorative of the exposition.

Mrs. Potter Palmer, of Chicago, one of the members of the U. S. Commission to the Paris Exposition, advertises an offer of a reward of $500 for information leading to the return of a necklace valued at $17,000, which is missing.

The War Department has issued orders for the withdrawal from Cuba of the First infantry, to take station at Fort Leavenworth, Kas. The commanding general of the department of the Missouri will designate two battalions of this regiment for service in the Philippines.

The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Surplus reserve, increase $4,121,775; loans, decrease $3,381,100; specie, increase $1,681,100; legal tenders, increase $2,111,900; deposits, decrease $1,315,100; circulation, increase $747,100. The banks now hold $24,081,900 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent. rule.

A Frightful Blunder

Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald, Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns and all Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

Epworth Leaguers from all the States will recognized as members at the conference to be held at Atlanta July 25th to 29th. Take the Seaboard Air Line Railway. †

There will be a sunrise prayer meeting at the Southern Epworth League Conference at Atlanta July 25th to 29th. Love feasts and jubilees. Take the Seaboard Air Line Railway. †

Special Notice for Tournament.

Full stock of Bread for this week. Meals at all hours.

AT WARREN'S

Steam Bakery and Cafe,

jy21 tf No. 22 North Front street.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ Notices For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

Grand Family Excursion to Southport, Fort Caswell and out to sea to-day on the fast and commodious steamer Compton, leaving wharf, between Market and Dock, at 10.30 A. M.; returning at 7 P. M. Splendid opportunity to visit Colonel Taylor's Boys' Brigade at Southport. Fare, round trip, 50c. jy 22 1t

Rooms to Rent—Furnished or unfurnished; centrally located in business part of city, at 121 Market street. C. A. Holland. July 21, 1900. jy 22 1t*

Lost—On Wrightsville Beach, between the Pearsall cottage and Seashore Hotel last night, a Pocket-book containing an S. A. L. ticket from Wilmington to Raleigh, trunk keys and a small amount of money. Finder will be rewarded by returning to T. D. Meares. jy 22 1t

Notice—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Piscatorial Association will be held in the city of Wilmington, N. C., at the office of the Secretary, room No. 7, Masonic Temple, on Tuesday, August 7th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary. jy 18 td

For Sale—My stock of Millinery. I have established trade. Good location. Mrs. Gracie V. Wood. jy 17 1w

Sweet Florida Pineapples—Two hundred must be sold to-day, 10c and 15c each. Call early. 'Phone 439. T. D. Love. jy 14 tf

Now is the time to have your tires put on for the Summer, thereby saving rims. Marshall's Iron and Wood Work Shops, Seventeenth and Market streets. jy 13 tf

Choice Timothy Hay, Clover Hay, Straw, fresh ground Meal, Pearl Hominy, Flour, Grain and everything in the Feed line for horses, cows and chickens. John S. McEachern, 311 Market street. Telephones No. 92. jy 8 tf

Wilmington, N. C., July 6th, 1900—Escaped from City Pound, strayed, Steer, brindle, gray tip tail, broad wide horns, upper-square right ear, crop off left. Weight 672 pounds. Liberal reward to person returning to City Pound. J. F. Garrell. jy 7 tf

Apples, Peaches and Honey—I am receiving daily Apples, Peaches, Butter, Chickens, Eggs, Bananas, Lemons, Oranges, etc. Also, a nice lot of Block Honey now on hand. Persons wishing to buy or ship anything of the kind will do well to see or write me. A. S. Winstead, Commission Merchant, 113 and 115 North Second street, Wilmington, N. C. jy 1 tf

For Sale—Hand-made Buggies of different makes. Also Harness of all kinds; and prices to suit the times. Come and see me when in need of something nice. P. H. Hayden. sep 24 tf

Everything in Hardware

at WHOLESALE or RETAIL

May be found at

J. W. Murchison & Co's,

ORTON BUILDING.

Seasonable Specialties in

Ice Cream Freezers,

Refrigerators,

Water Coolers, etc.

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Initiation fee, 25 cents per share. Subscriptions to stock payable in weekly instalments of 25 cents per share.

The management is prudent and economical, as is shown by the fact that the Association has sustained no losses, and its annual expenses, including taxes, are only about Two Hundred Dollars.

J. D. CROOM, President.
W. B HARKER Secretary. je 10 tf

Fancy Peaches For Cream.

Try them and get the best.

Bananas, Pears, Oranges, Apples, Plums and Pineapples.

Let me have your order.

J. W. PLUMMER, Jr.,

204 Princess street,

jy 19 tf Inter-State 'Phone 132.

Schedule Carolina Beach and Southport In effect June 12th.

FOR CAROLINA BEACH.

Boat leaves Wilmington for Carolina Beach 6 A. M., 9.15 A. M., 3.45 P. M., 6.15 P. M. and 7.30 P. M

FOR WILMINGTON.

Trains leave Beach at 7 A. M., 1 P. M., 3.30 P. M., 6 P. M. and 8.30 P. M.

Fare to the Pier and return on the 5.15 and 7.30 boat 15 cents.

No 7.30 boat from Wilmington and no 8.30 train from Beach on Monday and Saturday.

Leave Wilmington Sunday at 10.00 A. M. 2.30 P. M. and 7.30 P. M.

Leave Beach Sunday at 12.30 P. M., 6 P. M. and 8.30 P. M.

FOR SOUTHPORT.

Boat leaves Wilmington at 9.15 A. M.

FOR WILMINGTON.

Boat leaves Southport at 12 M.

Two hundred tickets will be given away every week for Saturday's boats. Apply to S. W. Sanders, "Unlucky Corner."

jy 9 tf J. W. HARPER.

Tobacco-Twine. A few bales of Tobacco-Twine for sale.

10,000 Old Va. Cheroots at reduced prices.

25,000 Carolina Bright Cigarettes.

25,000 Cross Cut Cigarettes.

50 Boxes Handkerchief Soap. Handkerchief free with every nickel cake.

Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Bagging, Ties and other goods.

Get our prices.

D. L. GORE CO., WHOLESALE GROCERS,

jy 4 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Summer Clearance Sale by the Fishblate Clothing Co.

Commencing Monday.

FOR CASH ONLY balance of stock AT COST

and some less than cost. All Summer Goods must go.

White Duck Double-breasted Vests, - - - 50 cents
Silk Bosom Shirts, - - - - - 39 cents
Linen Crash Suits, - - - - - $1.00
Linen Hats, - - - 15 cents worth 50 cents
All Wool Cassimere Suits, - - $7.50 worth $12.50
All Wool Flannel Suits, - - $7.00 worth 12.50
All Wool Suits, - - - $6.00 worth 10.00

The above are only few of the prices quoted.

Call early and get your size.

Fishblate Clothing Company.

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Mason's Fruit Jars

PINTS, 63c dozen. QUARTS, 73c dozen. 2 QUARTS. 93c dozen.

At Rehder's

A FEW PORCH SCREENS LEFT to be sold at cost.

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What Dick said to Abraham.

Dick, whare is the best place for me to buy some goods at? Well, Abraham, stop at the corner of Fourth and Campbell streets, at Gaylord's Branch Store, if you want to be treated right. THAT'S

The cheapest place in the city to buy . . . Shoes. Dry Goods. Gent's Furnishing Goods. Millinery. Men's Hats. Trunks and Valises. Hammocks. Mosquito Canopies at $1.00. Porch Screens. Ladies' Vest, short or long sleeve. The best Calico at 5c.

The only place in the city to get Army and Navy Overalls, $1.75 per Suit.

The only place in the city to get Wm. Kneeland & Co.'s Gent's Fine Shoes. The best made. Have no equal. They have a big lot of Ribbons and Flowers to sell cheap.

"But," Dick says to Abraham, "don't you go dar widout de spots in yenner pockets, because dem folks won't trust you no kind a how. Dey don't have no chunns nor pets. Dey treats everybody, rich or poor, just alike."

For Bargains, call

at GAYLORD'S Branch Store,

Corner Fourth and Campbell Streets.

J. R. BOYD, Manager. Bell 'Phone 557.

jy 22 tf For your benefit our door stands open every night until 9 o'clock.

Babies' Soft Shoes 25 cents.

White, Blue, Pink, Tan, Red, Black. Six hundred pairs, the regular 50c grade, slightly damaged, but not enough to hurt the looks of the Shoes, and hardly noticeable when on the child's feet.

This week 25 cents a pair.

SOLOMON'S SHOE STORE.

jy 22 tf

Now's the Time to buy your summer suit.

It will pay you to buy a Suit and carry it over till next season at our present prices. We are compelled to sell to make room for our Fall goods. Come in and let us show you a few of our styles. They are handsome and all Imported goods. No Domestics.

We are also displaying a swell line of Negligee Shirts and Furnishing Goods.

M. H. CURRAN,

jy 22 tf 107 PRINCESS STREET.

GOOD MORNING.

The Summer heat is on. May I talk to you about household needs?

I will sell you Mosquito Net by the bolt of 82 and 72 inches wide, at 39c, in white and colors. Mosquito Canopies ready for use at $1 05 each, put up.

Japanese Porch Screens at 45c, 99c, $1.48 put up.

Ladies' and Gent's Sun Shades and Umbrellas.

Steel rod paragon frame, Congo handle 26 inch Umbrellas at 45c up to $2.25. Ladies' fine black rubber handles, silk gloria top, paragon frame, at $1.39 and $1.50. Men's Self closing Umbrellas at $1.15 Self-hoisting double ribbed storm and wind proof at $2.25. Gent's Fine Umbrellas, silk top, fine carved handles, at $1.50, $2.50.

Ladies' Summer Corsets worth 50c, my price is 42c each.

Gaylord's Special is the best 50c Corset in the city. Look at them.

One hundred new odd Corsets we sold at $1.00, will give you choice at 50c.

Warner's Corset Waist for large ladies, No. 25 to 30, sold at $1.25, you can have them at 63c.

Do you need any kind of White Lawn? I have a full stock now from 5c to 25c.

Two hundred pairs Ladies' Slippers and Ties from 45c to $2 00. We are real anxious to show you the best stock of Slippers in the city.

Twenty-eight dozen Ladies' White Rough Straw bound 35c Hats now for 19c.

Ten dozen bunches of Chrysanthemums, all colors, at 15c.

Velvet Ribbons, all widths, new stock, No. 1½, 10 yards in bunch, at 25c. All widths up to No. 22, at 8c yard. No. 5 at 10c yard.

Ladies' Linen Collars, slightly soiled, at 1c each; cuffs at 2c a pair.

Big stock of Collars at 10c each.

A big line of new Boys' Pants from 15c to 50c a pair. Boys' Wash Suits at 98c, now 50c.

Children's Low-cut Shoes at cost. Infant's fine Shoes, from 2's to 5's, in all colors, soft bottoms, at 25c a pair. A few pairs Men's Low-cut Summer Shoes at cost, from 90c to $1.20, worth $1.25 and $1.50. Best stock of all Leather Children's Shoes, 5's to 8's, at 50c. Men's all solid Leather Shoes at $1.00 a pair. Gent's fine Tan Shoes, regular price $2.25, now $1.50.

We give to our customers free a piece of fine Decorated China. Any piece you want, to fill in your broken set.

We punch any amount. Get a coupon with all purchases from 5c up. Forty beautiful Bronze Clocks to be given away with $25.00 purchases. Three dozen Ladies' small cane seat Chairs for $15.00 purchase. Six fine white Cups and Saucers with a $10.00 purchase. A nice Gent's Moustache Cup and Saucer for a $5.00 purchase.

We are closing out our large stock. We have got to move and we want your trade at WILMINGTON'S BIG RACKET STORE, on Front street, near the Postoffice.

G. O. Gaylord, Prop.

jy 22 tf

J. E. Hinnant, No. 6 South Front street, Wilmington, N. C.

FIRST CLASS RESTAURANT, WHERE MEALS ARE SERVED AT ALL HOURS, AND AT MODERATE PRICES. FREE SOUP FROM ELEVEN A. M. TO ONE P. M.

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Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms. Rents, Taxes and Insurance attended to promptly. Money loaned on improved

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